

# bubble



2005

“Move out of your comfort zone. You can only grow if you are willing to feel awkward and uncomfortable when you try something new.”

-- Brian Tracey

Making  
STUDENT LIFE

4

Expanding  
ARTS & ACADEMICS

34

Inside  
ORGANIZATIONS

62

Naming  
PEOPLE


106

Breaking  
SPORTS

132

Remembering  
SENIORS

164



Digitized by the Internet Archive  
in 2009 with funding from  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

<http://www.archive.org/details/phipsicli2005elon>



**Phi Psi Cli  
2005  
Volume 90**

# The Elon Bubble



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

**Elon University  
Elon, NC 27244  
[www.elon.edu](http://www.elon.edu)**



# The Elon Bubble

The Elon Bubble  
The Elon Bubble  
The Elon Bubble

As the end of summer approaches, Elon once again emits an energetic flow. Students and faculty return to campus to begin their academic year and welcome the new freshmen class to the growing Elon family. Within Elon's close-knit community, lasting memories are made in the classroom, at athletic events, at weekend social events and holiday celebrations. Students are given the opportunity to expand their knowledge of the world in which they live and become involved in various organizations to gain experience outside of the classroom. Each member of the Elon family plays a vital role in our success and becomes a part of our own family away from home. Sporting events allow school spirit for the Phoenix to shine through as teams compete against rival schools. Through each of these aspects, we become the creators of The Elon Bubble.

by Jennifer Heilman







**Making**



**Expanding**



**Inside**



**Naming**



**Breaking**

**Remembering**

photos by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Manin

Offering one another a welcoming hug, friends greet each other at the Organization Fair. Students spent the first week of classes reuniting with their friends.



“ I enjoy spending my weekends camping with Elon Outdoors. Students like to take weekend trips with their friends to places away from campus too. ”

-- Patrick Davis

“ I really enjoy working with the Homecoming activities. It is an event that brings back past alumni and our school pride shines through. ”

-- Shelby Peterson





# Making *the bubble*



The essence of every student's college education develops from those experiences outside of the classroom. Within Elon's community, students can envision the anticipation of freshmen at convocation, feel the warmth of an unexpected sunny day in November, see the spirited colors of the Phoenix on Homecoming, taste a Sandy's sub at 4 a.m. on a Saturday, hear the upbeat music streaming through the air from the Greek courts and off-campus parties on the weekend and smell the first winter snow. Each of these senses create the Elon "bubble." Every student will take with them endless memories and stories from their own unique college perspective.

by Jennifer Heilman



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Students talk to one another while relaxing on the grass during the warm weather. Many took advantage of sunny days and spent time outdoors on Elon's beautiful campus.

Participating in a candlelight vigil for Take Back the Night, students remember victims of rape. Many groups on campus created awareness among students.

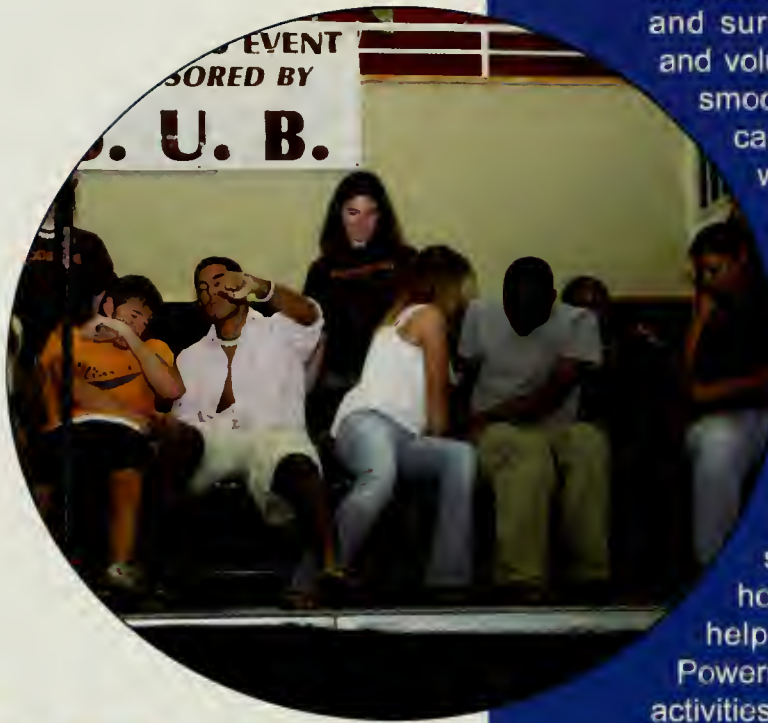


# Creating A New Year

## Orientation

Excitement was in the air as the class of 2008 arrived to campus on August 27th. Parking lots overflowed with families and luggage as students settled into their new homes and surroundings. Orientation Leaders and volunteers helped make the transition smooth by assisting with check-in and carrying belongings. Other services were available throughout the day providing information about technology, banking, and campus safety. Assigned orientation groups of 15 to 16 students, including an Orientation Leader and advisor, helped students become familiar with campus rules and eased nervous feelings. These groups also provided freshmen with advice from succeeding at Elon to Greek Life and homesickness. "My orientation group helped me make friends," said Cindy Powers. Area socials and other teamwork activities gave freshmen the opportunity to socialize with people from their residence halls and begin an exciting year.

-- Danica Sands



Elon students participate in Tom Deluca's hypnosis. The gym was packed with Tom Deluca fans who were waving "Pick Me" posters for a chance for 15 minutes of fame.

photo courtesy of The Pendulum



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

New Students check-in around West Area for room assignments and keys. Families began moving in and unpacking as early as 7:30 a.m.

Student volunteers walk blindfolded as part of a training activity. Orientation Leaders, Head Staff and O-Team logged countless hours for Orientation 2004.







photo courtesy of The Pendulum

Orientation Leaders participate in team-building and problem solving activities during training. These gave them the chance to learn more about each other.

Michael Bumbry and Michelle Tufts take a break during New Student Orientation. Returning students enjoyed reuniting with friends after summer break.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo courtesy of The Pendulum

## Meet Your Orientation Leaders

- 95 Orientation Leaders
- 15 Head Staff
- 26 O-Team Members

Student volunteers returned to campus on August 21st. Of the 95 Orientation Leaders, four were returning members and 19 are involved in the Fellows programs at Elon.



Orientation Leaders pose for a group picture around Scott Plaza after moving in over 1200 new students. Volunteers for new student orientation applied for positions the previous fall semester.



Freshmen walk in pairs through faculty members at the end of convocation to receive their acorn. The word Elon means "oak" in Hebrew.

Elon University flags adorn campus on the morning of Freshman Convocation. Convocation was held "under the oaks" where students will again gather for graduation.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

photo courtesy of The Pendulum

## Profile of the Class of 2008

Total Enrollment: 1,240 students  
Average High School GPA: 3.6  
Average SAT: 1169

Male/Female Ratio: 37% men;  
63% women  
International: 31 students  
from 17 countries

### Top Three Geographic Areas:

1. North Carolina
2. Maryland
3. Virginia

### Top Three Intended Majors:

1. Business/Acct/Econ
2. Journalism/Communications
3. Elementary Education

— Statistics Courtesy of Office of Admissions  
and Financial Planning



After Freshman Convocation, faculty, students and parents mingle with one another. Families then proceeded to the Farewell Picnic at Lake Mary Nell to say good-bye.





# Planting Seeds Convocation

On the hot morning of August 28th, the 1,240 new students joined with their families and faculty for "Convocation Under the Oaks" to mark the beginning of their college experience. Freshman Lindsay Howerton reflected on the day: "It was really great to have all the new students, their parents and faculty together in one place. Having the convocation put together for us was such a meaningful way to begin our lives at Elon." The morning started with university Chaplain Richard McBride opening with prayer and welcome address. PGA Executive President Chris Morse spoke about great values at Elon and introduced keynote speakers. Hallie Coppedge closed the ceremony by proudly singing the Elon Alma Mater and Fight Song and President Leo Lambert left the students with his famous words, "Long live Elon!" Students happily proceeded out of the ceremony where they received an acorn to represent the beginning of their education at Elon.

-- Julianna Novak



President Emeritus J. Earl Danieleley leads the recessional out of convocation. It has been tradition that the most tenured faculty member carries the mace at convocation.

photo courtesy of The Pendulum

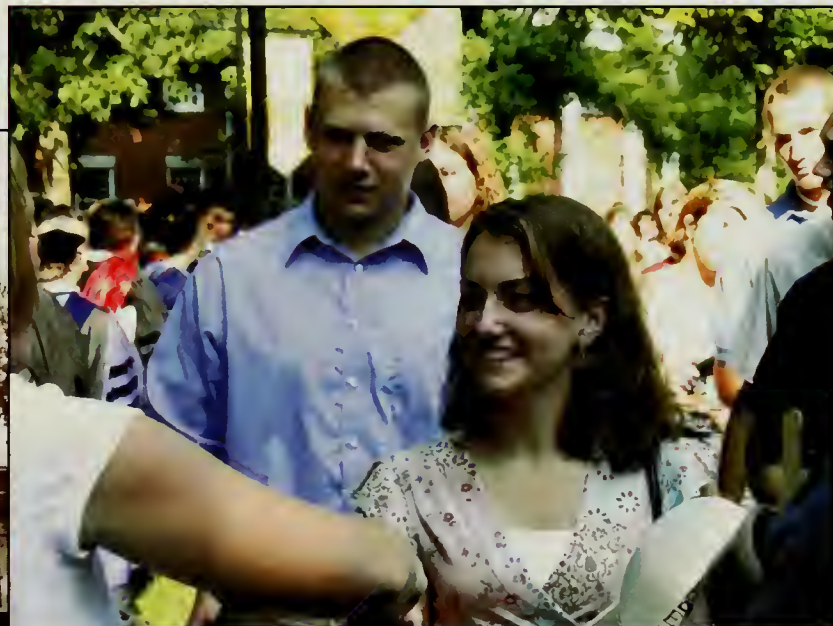


photo courtesy of The Pendulum

Parents and new students gather at Scott Plaza before convocation for breakfast. Families were able to meet people from their hometown during this time.

New students attend convocation as their first college experience together. They received an acorn to represent the start of their new journey ahead.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



# Making Quality Time

## Family Weekend



Players look on at the Phoenix's 14-0 lead against Delaware State. Elon's victory kept fans in high spirits for the remainder of the weekend.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Families began to arrive on campus amidst heavy rains and tornado warnings on Friday, September 17. Weather conditions brought by remnants of Hurricane Ivan prevented some parents from getting to Elon. Activities and Collage, performed by the Performing Arts Department, proceeded as scheduled. Saturday brought cooler weather and the rain subsided. Parents had the opportunity to visit with professors and attend mini-classes. The annual picnic before the football game was moved inside because of weather. The main event of the weekend was the football game against Delaware State. The Phoenix put up a strong fight and secured a win with a score of 49-13. Students also enjoyed the opportunity to head off-campus with their parents for dinner and shopping. The majority of students said good-bye to their families on Sunday. Although the weekend began with wind and rain, the weather improved and families were able to enjoy time together.

-- Jessica Waugh



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

A family fills their plates with food at the Family Weekend picnic held in Moseley Center. Huey's catered the picnic which included barbeque, salads and desserts.

Families pack Rhodes Stadium in anticipation for the football game. The game was the highlight activity of Saturday afternoon for families and fans.







photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Father and daughter pose for a picture in Moseley. Family weekend gave students the time to give their parents a tour.

Sweet Signatures sings in Moseley Center. Performing groups provided entertainment during Family Weekend.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## Student Opinion: What did you enjoy most during Family Weekend?



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Parents pose with their purchases from the Campus Shop. Students and parents took advantage of the sidewalk sale held there.

"I had fun seeing my parents. I was able to go shopping for the things I wanted."

— Brittany Lavelle

"My parents and I really enjoyed Collage, which was great. It was one of their main reasons for coming."

— Elizabeth Wood



Two students take time to eat lunch and enjoy the weather on the McEwen patio. The new tables and chairs outside of McEwen last fall allowed an alternative dining environment.

Jessica Frizen checks her campus mail box before going to class. The Zone, mailroom, Freshens and Octagon are common places for students to spend their time.



photo by Jennifer Heilman

photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## Where do you like to spend time between classes?

"I usually try to find time to go to the gym and work out or play racquetball. It helps me take a break from school work."

-- Scott Rytter

"I like to spend time at the Alpha Xi Delta house or the Greek courts and talk to friends."

-- Carlie Devaney



A student takes time to complete a reading assignment before class by Fonville Fountain. Time in between classes gave students extra time to finish homework.

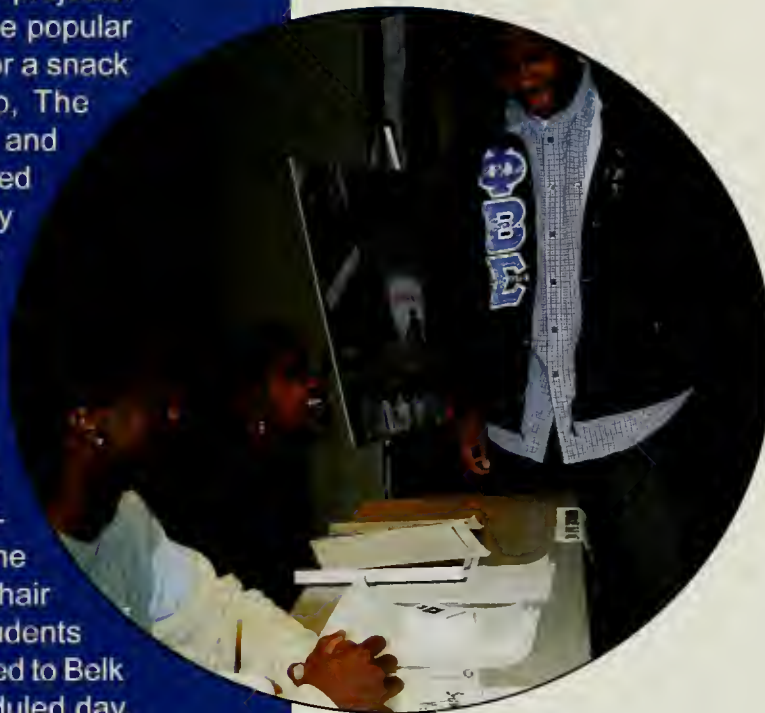




# Taking Time Between Classes

A variety of locations on campus offered students an opportunity to gather with friends and take a break from the hectic day in between classes and group projects. Several dining options proved to be popular among students looking for lunch or a snack such as The Acorn Coffee Shop, TheVarsity, Cantina Roble, Freshens and Octagon Cafe. Students also enjoyed taking advantage of nice weather by enjoying their lunch outside on the patios of McEwen and Octagon or even relaxing on a nearby bench or by the fountain at Scott Plaza. Various campus groups would provide free cookies and information in Moseley Center where students could also check their campus mailboxes, play a game of pool in The Zone or relax in a comfortable chair or sofa in Fireplace Lounge. Students wishing to finish homework wandered to Belk library. Even during a busy scheduled day, students found time to take a break and enjoy down time with their friends.

-- Jennifer Heilman



Members of Phi Beta Sigma advertise an event in Moseley Center. Moseley provided students with an area to meet friends, eat lunch or mingle with a new organization.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Phi Psi Cli Staff



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Eating lunch on the outdoor patio, student enjoy food from Acorn Coffee Shop. Students utilized computers available at Acorn to complete work between classes.

Students and faculty help themselves to a variety of fruits and pastries at College Coffee. The morning break between classes on Tuesdays College Coffee popular.



# Battling It Out

## Homecoming

The Homecoming celebration commenced in full force as October drew to an end. Alumni looked forward to returning to their alma mater and reminiscing college memories with old friends as students prepared for a week of competition and social events. The football team geared up for the "battle for the saddle" against Southern Conference team Western Carolina. School spirit was vibrant among organizations throughout the week who competed in various Homecoming competitions including the Quiz Bowl and Homecoming Skit. As Saturday's football game approached, students and alumni gathered for tailgating by Rhodes Stadium. Over 7,300 fans came to cheer on the Phoenix. Although the Phoenix was defeated by Western Carolina 28-7, students and alumni looked forward to evening formals and Halloween costume social events. Whether students competed in Homecoming events or attended the game, Homecoming was enjoyed by all.

-- Jennifer Heilman

Matt Lewis, Mike Kelly and Bryan Donald pose outside of the Center for Leadership during Trick-or-Treat Moseley. The office placed first in the door decorating competition for Moseley.



photo by Felicia Massey



Flames of the Phoenix cheer on the Phoenix football team as they enter the field. The dance team, cheerleaders and band created enthusiasm among the crowd.

The SGA sells Homecoming "Battle for the Saddle" shirts in Moseley. Many students purchased a shirt to wear to the football game to display their school spirit.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo







Ben Brundred and Shelby Peterson pose for a picture as they win 2004 Homecoming King and Queen. Students were able to vote during the week by computer.

Students gather during College Coffee at Fonville Fountain to admire the Homecoming Banners. Organizations competing in Homecoming paraded through campus.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

photo courtesy of The Student Government Association



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## Battle for the Saddle

### Homecoming Skit

First Place: Black Cultural Society

Second Place: Alpha Xi Delta

Third Place: RSA & Danieleley

### Quiz Bowl

First Place: Alpha Phi Omega

Second Place: Danieleley Center

Third Place: Delta Delta Delta

### Tepby Wars

First Place: Alpha Chi Omega

Second Place: Alpha Omicron Pi

Third Place: Danieleley Center

### Banner Contest

First Place: Alpha Chi Omega

Second Place: Danieleley Center

Third Place: Alpha Omicron Pi

### Tep Rally

First Place: Danieleley Center

Second Place: Alpha Chi Omega

Third Place: Delta Delta Delta

### Spirit Award

Alpha Chi Omega

### Overall Winner

Danieleley Center



Danieleley Center Staff poses for a picture after accepting their award. Organizations on campus competed against one another in several competitions.



An all-girl flat in Danieley Center displays its neatness before exams. Many students shared cleaning responsibilities with their roommate.

Relaxing on his futon, a Moffitt resident watches a movie. Students enjoy visiting friends in different resident halls on the weekend to meet new people.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

photo by Meredith Taylor

## Roommate Stories: The Bad & The Good

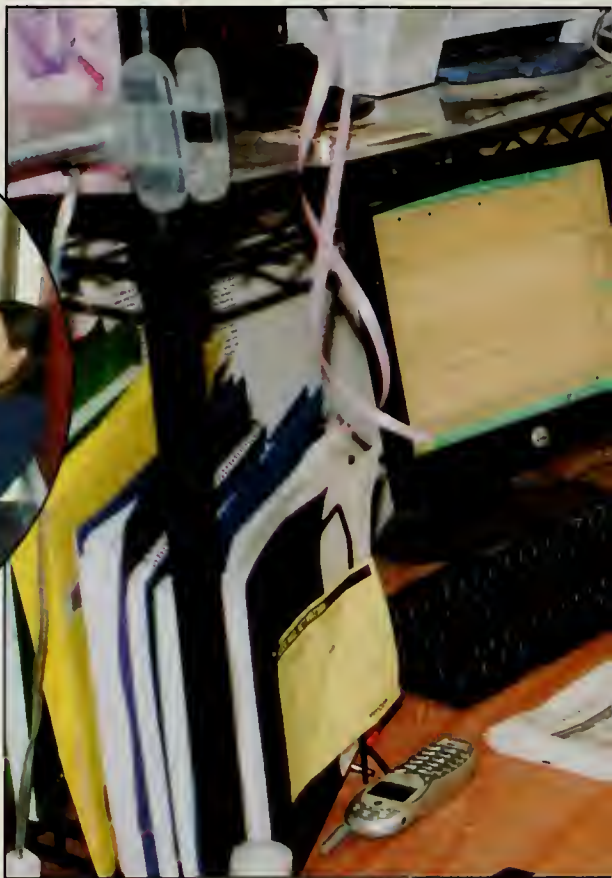
"My roommate decided never to vacuum the room so I wanted to test her one day. I gathered all the hair on the floor that was hers, placed it in a formed clump and proceeded to put it on her side of the room. I wanted to know how long it would take her to pick it up and in the end, it took her 2 weeks and 5 days. I kept track!"

"I was so lucky to be able to find my best friend at Elon and be able to live with her. We are inseparable and never get sick of each other. We even decided to take summer school together so we would not have to go home!"

photo by Jocelyn Maningo



Students share stories with each other in the hallway of Moffitt. Dorm living allowed students to meet new people and friends outside of their classes.





# Building Communities On Campus Housing

Each living community embodies its own unique characteristics and atmosphere. West area is the home of Sloan, Virginia, Jordan Center and West resident halls. Many students, including Jonathan Monti, have come to describe "J.C." as "a community of strong friendships." North area's prime location to Rhodes Stadium and the Greek courts includes Story Center, Moffitt, and Staley. Danieleley Center, the farthest living community from campus, may be the place to be on the weekend, but the walk to class at 8 a.m. can become tiresome for residents. East area includes Carolina, Smith, the Academic Pavilion and Hook, Brannock and Carney. Within each environment, RAs and Head Residents encourage friendships through sponsored social activities including Smith and Jordan Center's annual haunted house and area competitions. Students can easily begin to call Elon their home through their experiences in their living communities.

-- Danica Sands

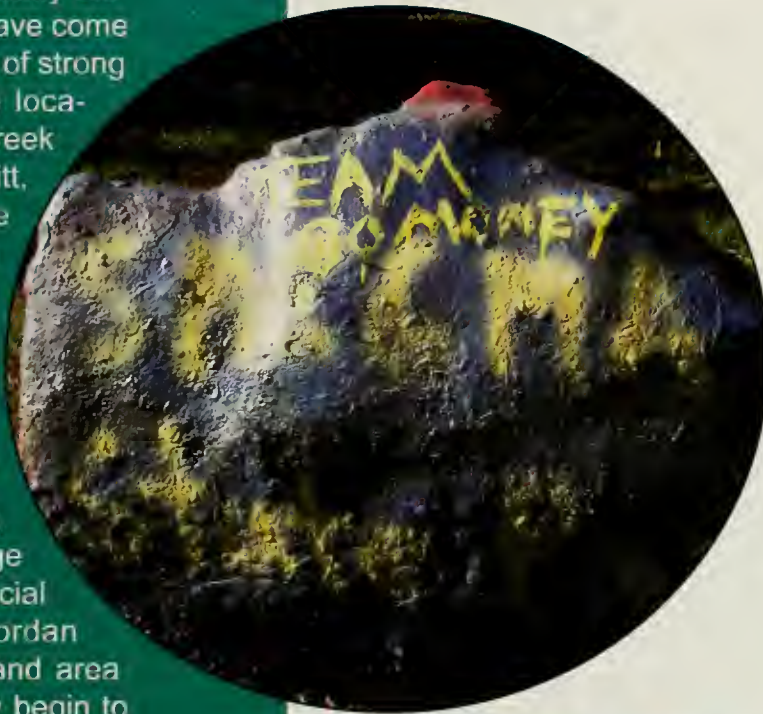


photo by Brittanie Schroyer

Phoenix Phind participants paint "the rock" with their team name. First place winners, Wave O Babies, won \$650 for their team's success during the 48-hour scavenger hunt sponsored by RSA.



photo by Phi Psi Cli Staff



photo by Jennifer Heilman

Checking her e-mail, a student relaxes in the comfort of her dorm. Cable internet connection in the dorms allowed students to have a fast and reliable source to the world wide web.

Danieley Center flats provide residents with a partial kitchen. Many students enjoyed living with a smaller group of people by opting for suite or flat style rooms.



# Cute Critters

## Students & Their Pets



Poking her finger at the glass, Katherine Thomas tries to play with her pet fish Spork. Beta fish are popular among students because they do not require a filter.

photo by Mary Cunningham



photo by Mary Cunningham

Aubrey Wilson and her pet fish Puppy pose for the camera. Fish in small tanks are the only legal pet allowed in dorms on campus.

Laura Downs and Ali Mangini cuddle with their cats Lily Butt and Hazzel. Students residing off-campus are allowed pets depending on their leasing terms.



When you first come to college, people tell you to "make yourself at home." While for most people that might mean to organize their room the way that they want it and to make new friends, some people go the extra mile. A growing trend on Elon's campus is to have a pet of your own. According to Elon's housing rules and regulations, the only "legal" pet that a student can have in their room is a fish in a small tank. However, you should never put it beyond a college student to bend the rules. There have been three dogs, two bunnies, a guinea pig and a fish all in one student's suite this past year. It is becoming more common to see students running around with their dogs on the intramural fields at Danieley or witness a student rescuing a stray kitten from Jordan Center or hide in their dorm room. Although each of these situations could cause students to be fined, these "cuddly critters" make college feel more like home.

--Lisa Parker





Ryan Kitchell holds his friend's pet guinea pig, Wimbley. Pets which remain in a cage are preferred by students who want a low-maintenance pet.

Taking an afternoon nap, Ian Kennedy and Nyla sleep peacefully. Students with pets spend their free time playing or spending quality time together.

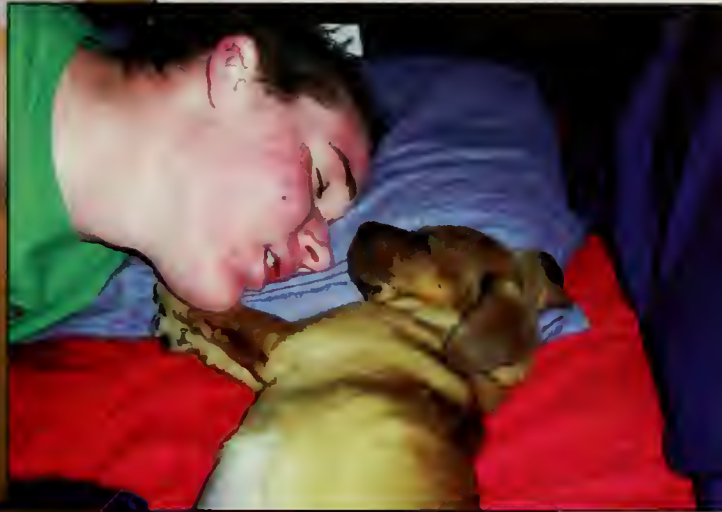


photo courtesy of Chris Rogers

photo by Jennifer Heilman



photo courtesy of The Pendulum

## Pet Adoption Facts & Statistics



photo courtesy of Crystal Justynski

Carrying her roommate's puppy in her bag, Crystal Justynski spends time caring for Marley. Marley was adopted from The Humane Society of Alamance County.

**The Pet Adoption & Welfare Society (PAWS)** was created in 2000 due to Alamance County's high animal death rate. The Pet Adoption Center of Burlington has been able to find homes for 627 animals since June 2004.

**The Humane Society of Alamance County** works toward ending the pet overpopulation problem. They also run a successful foster adoption program.

-Information courtesy of The Pet Adoption Center of Burlington & The Humane Society of Alamance County



Peter Tulchinski admires his Post-It Note collection from his student workers. Those involved with Campus Recreation enjoy their jobs.

A Campus Recreation worker swipes Phoenix cards. Students and faculty can use their Phoenix card for visiting guests who are interested in using the facility.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## Intramural Sport Champions

**Flag Football Champions**  
Men's: Prime Time  
Women's: Alpha Xi Delta  
Co-Rec: Campus Recreation & Friends

**Team Tennis Champions**  
Men's: P.O.S.  
Women's: Alpha Chi Omega  
Co-Rec: Alpha Kappa Psi

**Wallyball Champions**  
Men's: Jewish Thunder  
Women's: Alpha Chi Omega  
Co-Rec: Practice Safe Sets



A student lifeguard observes swimmers for the Swim to Florida program. Students working for Campus Recreation held a variety of jobs including swiping cards at the front desk and serving as personal trainers.





# Playing Hard

## Campus Recreation

The Campus Recreation Department at Elon offers a variety of services to the students, faculty and staff. One of the most exciting and popular programs run by Campus Recreation is Intramural Sports. Students can form teams for several intramural sports including flag football, team tennis, wallyball, soccer, racquetball, volleyball and basketball. Students, faculty and staff also have access to the fitness gym. Cardio machines, weight machines and free weights are available. Personal trainers can also be hired through the department. Group exercise classes are offered ranging from yoga and Pilates to step and kickboxing and offer a different exercising opportunity. Several times throughout the year, Campus Recreation also plans special events such as Cardio Campaign, Swim to Florida and the annual Turkey Trot, a 3K race. Overall, the Campus Recreation Department encourages physical fitness through various fun and enjoyable activities.

-- Jessica Waugh



Students play team basketball in Jordan Gym. Jordan Gym gave students access to basketball courts without having to compete for court time with the basketball team.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Students participate in caving with Elon Outdoors. Elon Outdoors is a division of Campus Recreation that offers weekend outdoor trips such as camping and skiing.

Using the elliptical machines, students exercise. Many students and faculty enjoyed using the fitness center to relieve stress or to stay physically fit.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



# Grub

## Dining Choices



A variety of ice cream, sundaes and candy are available at Freshens. Many students visit Freshens for an after-dinner dessert.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Students form a line at Grille Works in Octagon. The food available is worth the wait during the hectic lunch lines during the week in between classes.

Laughing with friends, Liz Chmelo enjoys dinner at Monterrey's. Monterrey's is one of many Mexican cuisine restaurants in Burlington.

Although Elon is located in a relatively small town, there are many dining options available around the city of Burlington and on campus. Students gather at different campus locations such as Harden, McEwen, Cantina Roble, Daniele Commons, Octagon Cafe, Varsity and Acorn Coffee Shop. Several casual restaurants off campus also accept Phoenix cash such as Panera Bread, Sal's Italian Restaurant, Subway and Sandy's Subs. Students also frequent local chain restaurants to celebrate birthdays or on the weekend. Monterrey's is well known for its large margaritas and Mexican cuisine. For a more expensive dining setting for special occasions, students may make reservations at B. Christopher's or Georgia's Kitchen located in downtown Burlington. Students enjoy eating and spending time with friends at the different on- and off-campus dining locations.

-- Jennifer Heilman & Lisa Parker







Mike Lynch passes an apron at Panera. Panera is a popular dining choice among students because they accept Phoenix cash.

Two students place an order at Freshens for smoothies. Light snacks and desserts served at Freshens keep students energized.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## Where do students enjoy eating?



1. Panera Bread
2. Monterrey's
3. Ham's Restaurant
4. Cook Out
5. Sandy's Subs

photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Ham's Restaurant offers a variety of sandwiches and platters for less money. Ham's is a popular restaurant for students to visit during the weekend.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



Tailgating before a football game, students relax in their casual wear. Football games were a time for students to model the latest fashion trends.

Students pose for the camera in their aviator sunglasses and collared shirts. The "preppy" look was preferred by many students for classes or to go out on the weekend.



photo by Phi Psi Cli Staff

## What trend do you love?

"I really like Ugg boots because they keep you warm on cold winter days, but are also a popular fashion trend."

-- Laura Furr

"I enjoy wearing my Lance Armstrong and Andy Roddick bracelets because I support their work on raising money for different causes."

-- Ryan Weber



photo by Jessica Augustine

A complete set of a Vera Bradley pattern is a must for many girls on campus. Designer hand bags such as Louis Vuitton, Coach and Dooney & Bourke make a trendy outfit complete.

photo courtesy of SUB





# In Style **Elon Style**

## Trends & Fashion

Fashion trends come and go; some stick around for awhile and others are over before they even started. College has become a fashion parade of the most recent clothing and accessories over the past few years. The most popular trend around campus is the popped collar. Both loved and hated by many, this trend has been sported by many students. Even those who do not publicly support this trend have admired it secretly in their bedroom mirrors. No longer only a Ralph Lauren trademark, almost every clothing company is now producing polo shirts with icons from butterflies to eagles. Worn as dressy and casual, they're fun and versatile---everything a good trend should be. Uggs have outlasted the usual trend "life" on campus this season showing some unusual staying power. Brightly colored and patterned rain boots, puffy vests and North Face fleece have coincided with the winter season, keeping students dry, warm and fashionable.

-- Danica Sands



A student models several colorful bracelets supporting breast cancer awareness, Lance Armstrong and Elonthon. These bracelets support various causes.

photo by Jennifer Heilman



photo by Phi Psi Cli Staff



photo courtesy of Kristen Laramie

Members of Pi Kappa Phi dress in ties and sport coats during a football game. Members of fraternities and sororities Polo shirts have been dressed up on certain days of the week.

Kristen Laramie, Maggie Santry and Nicole Nogueras sport popped collars and pearls. Polo shirts have been a long-lasting trend on campus.



# Letting Loose

## Night Life

College isn't really college without night life and the weekends. Most people just kick back and take a break from the hectic school week. Weekend party favorites are the Greek Courts and Sheridan. Some venture off to the local bars, Lighthouse and West End; but they're much busier on week nights. Freshman Adam Engman describes his weekend schedule as, "On the weekends I usually stay out all night and sleep all day." Elon night life offers other options when the party scene gets old or overwhelming. SGA and SUB provide alternative activities such as concerts, free food and Midnight Meals for students. When the weather is bad, some prefer to just stay in, order pizza and rent movies, plus West End Cinema is only a five-minute drive away. Weekends are a good time to break out of the bubble and enjoy off-campus food. Some favorites are Outback and Panera. No matter how busy, students find time to enjoy Elon's campus and nearby towns on the weekend.

-- Lisa Parker



Laughing with friends at Applebee's in Burlington, Aubrey Wilson and Jenna Caprara wait for their food to arrive. Weekends are a time for students to eat at local restaurants.

photo by Mary Cunningham



photo courtesy of SUB

Students participate in SUB's Texas Hold-Em Tournament and Casino Night. Televised Celebrity Poker has made similar games popular among college students.

Shawna Pagano and Laura Weisiger take time out at Pi Kappa Phi's house party to talk on their cell phones. Boys' Bid Night is one of the biggest party nights of the year.







photo courtesy of SUB

A student sings along at SUB's Karaoke Night in Moseley Center. Activities sponsored by SUB ranged from free massages to Ben Lee's performance.

Dancing to the music, a group of students smile for the camera. Most students spent their weekends looking for a place to dance and hang out with friends.



photo courtesy of SU



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## What are you doing tonight?



Students relax and play a game of pool in The Zone. The Zone also hosts Midnight Meals on Thursday nights to provide students with free food.

Monday:  
Lighthouse  
"Drink 'Till You Drown"  
Tuesday:  
Cantina Roble  
Wednesday:  
West End Bar  
Thursday:  
Lighthouse  
Midnight Meals  
Arizona Pete's in Greensboro  
Friday:  
Sheridan  
Saturday:  
Fraternity Houses  
Sunday:  
Relaxation Day



FOX News anchor Chris Wallace answers questions about the 2004 election media coverage. Wallace discussed media bias and said the exciting polls were inaccurate.

On duty as a CNN intern, Dan Hanson covers the Republican Convention in New York. Elon students were recruited to work with both the Republican and Democratic conventions.



photo by Jennifer Helman



photo courtesy of School of Communications

## How do you feel about the election results?

"I was happy with President Bush's re-election. I would be willing to support a president from either party, but I was pleased with President Bush's past four years so I am glad he is back in the White House."

— Sally French

"I'm just shocked at the outcome and the ignorance of our country."

— Cindy Powers



photo by Cindy Powers

John Edwards talks to the people of North Carolina during a march before the election. The College Democrats attended the march in the fall.



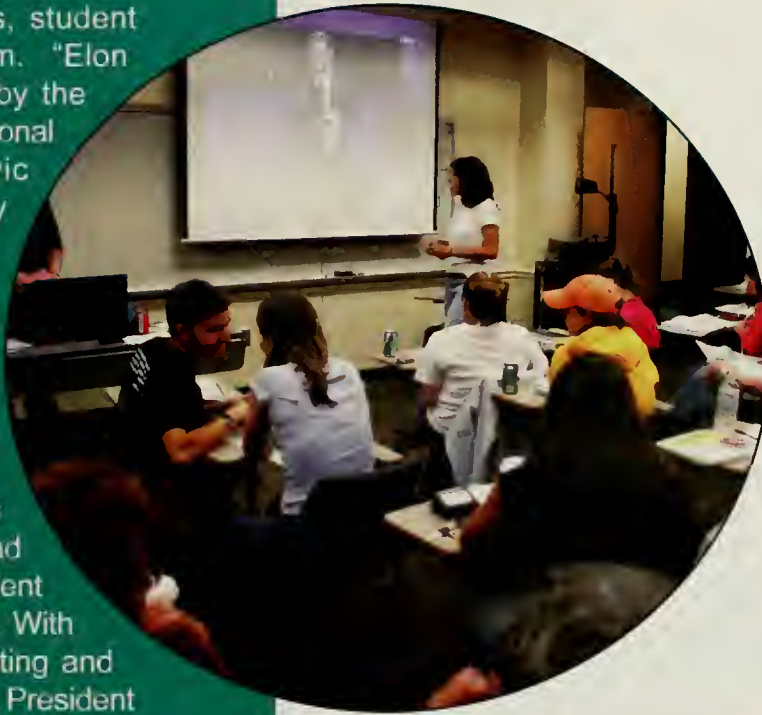


# Split Views

## Election 2004

As the 2004 Presidential Election approached, many students found ways to get involved on campus. These students voiced their opinions about the issues and candidates through debates, student organizations and The Pendulum. "Elon Debates the Issue" was hosted by the S.G.A., Project Pericles and the National Campaign for Political and Civic Engagement. Students and faculty members were chosen through application to represent the three major parties and an international spokesperson. Audience members were given the opportunity to submit answers which enriched the atmosphere. A mock online election was also held. The results placed senator John Kerry in the lead with 1,187 votes, followed by President George Bush, who won 1,037 votes. With a record number of Americans voting and rallying carrying over to Wednesday, President Bush was confirmed as the winner of the 2004 Presidential Election.

-- Jessica Waugh



Students listen to Senator John Kerry during the first presidential debate. Classrooms in McEwen were used to view the debates on large screen projectors.

photo courtesy of The Pendulum



photo courtesy of The Pendulum



photo by Brian Viebranz courtesy of The Pendulum

Performing to a sold-out crowd, Capitol Steps used humor and political satire to entertain. Capitol Steps is a Washington-based comedy troupe who performs musical interpretations of today's top headlines.

Karen Holt moderates "Elon Debates the Issue." More than 400 students, faculty and staff voted on the issues they found most important: same-sex marriage, terrorism/Iraq and the economy.



# Celebrating the Season

## Winter Holidays



Matt Henderson freezes his tongue to the flag pole much like Ralphie from the movie favorite "A Christmas Story." Students enjoyed the first snowfall although it did not cancel classes.

photo by Jessica Augustine

December not only brought the final weeks of the fall semester and finals, but the beginning of the holiday season and winter weather. The school community commenced its holiday festivities with the lighting of Alamance and Moseley luminaries along with caroling and hot chocolate. Jordan Center displayed its colorful lights and decorations in the annual decorating competition. "Elon Lights Up" was celebrated in town where children could visit Santa and witness the lighting of the Christmas tree. The Moravian Lovefeast and Candle Service was also celebrated within the community. President Leo Lambert welcomed students into his home for his annual Holiday Party. Students enjoyed hot apple cider with President Lambert and had their picture taken by the fireplace. As finals approached, students ventured into the cold and bitter temperatures to attend the Great Cookie Walk as well as Exam Jam hosted by SUB for a much needed study break.

— Jennifer Heilman



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Jordan Center D-Block displays its luminaries for the Jordan Center Decorating Competition. Jordan Center is known for its variety of Christmas decorations.

Jessica Augustine, Emily Wilkins and Meghan Toomey pose with Santa after caroling. For the first time in two years the lighting of the luminaries proceeded as scheduled.







photo by Jessica Augustine

Students sing along to Christmas carols with Santa on stage during the lighting of Alamance. Hot chocolate was served while Santa gave candy canes to children.

Allison Grimes of the Black Cultural Society prepares Christmas ornaments to be hung. Organizations on campus decorated their offices in the spirit of the holidays.



photo by Jocelyn Maringo



photo by Jessica Augustine

## Top 10 Worst Christmas Gifts of 2004



After lining up two hours in advance, students make their selections at the Great Cookie Walk. Cookies were made by families at a local Methodist church.

1. Clown art in the form of prints, statues, T-shirts and towels
2. Homemade sweater
3. Puzzles, especially for the 15-to-25 age group
4. Tube socks
5. Ties
6. Exercise videos/diet books
7. Undergarments
8. Padded toilet seats
9. Sausage sample packs
10. Drugstore perfumes

-- Survey Courtesy of The Washington Dispatch



Raechel Hester checks out equipment to Sarah Keach in Media Services. Students can apply for jobs in Media Services, Elite and Computer Technology.

Workers for leadership facilitate the Adventures in Leadership program. Students in the Center for Leadership also facilitate the Elon Challenge ropes course.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

## Student Opinion: On-Campus vs. Off-Campus Jobs

"Working off-campus gives me the experience of working with people who are diverse. I see people of all classes, races and personalities, and I enjoy the opportunity to interact with other people."

-- Jenny Martin

"I like working on-campus because I am able to schedule work in between my classes."

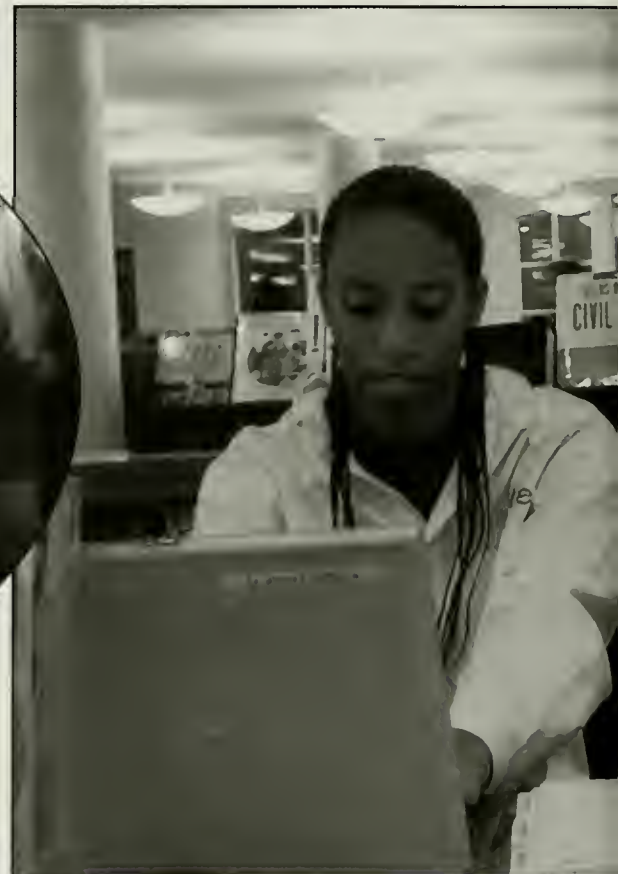
-- Ashley Engel



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

A University Guide gives prospective students a tour through campus. University Tour Guides work during the weekend and may also give tours during orientation weekends and open house.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo



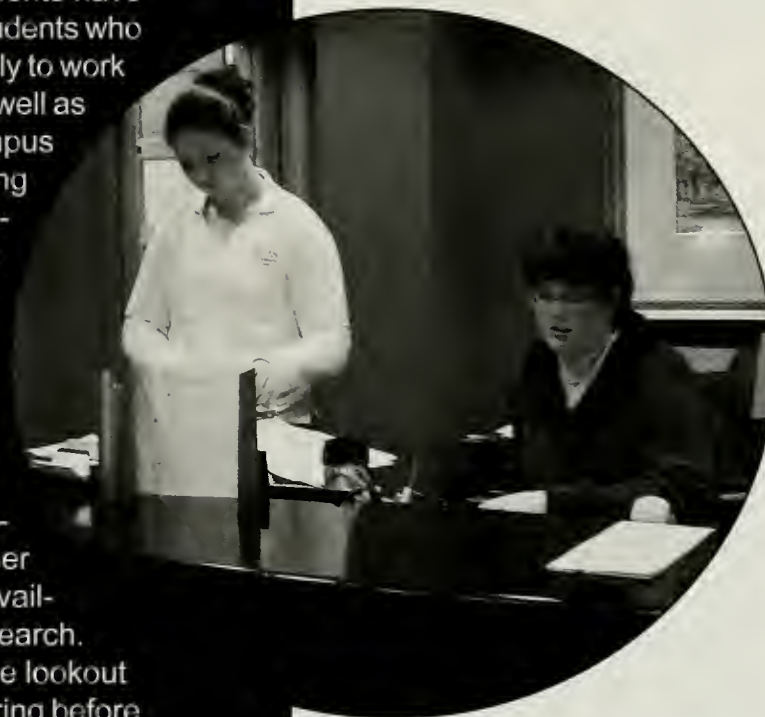


# Rolling in Cash

## Student Jobs

When students begin the search for an opportunity to make extra money while in school, there are two options: on-campus or off-campus jobs. Work-study students have first priority for on-campus jobs. Students who decide to work on-campus can apply to work in the educational departments as well as the library, Moseley Center, Campus Recreation and most food vending locations. On-campus jobs are usually a minimum-wage salary, but the close location to the campus and schedule flexibility make it the top choice. Students willing to work off-campus can choose from after-school care programs, babysitting, restaurants and retail stores. While students have to provide their own transportation, higher pay also becomes a benefit. Job availability also plays a role in the job search. Students must be constantly on the lookout for which locations are currently hiring before they miss their chance at the money-making opportunity.

-- Jessica Waugh



Working in Admissions, Ashley Engel works along side her supervisor Kelley Herndon. Students working in Admissions work both in the office and as University Tour Guides.

photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Felicia Massey

Two students work at the Belk Library information desk during the late-night shift. There are approximately 950 students employed per month for on-campus jobs who receive pay checks.

Leadership assistant Victoria Windsor convinces assistant Matt Lewis and intern Laith Majali that "hot and fresh" are great adjectives for student worker attire. Students are expected to complete work on campus in a professional manner.



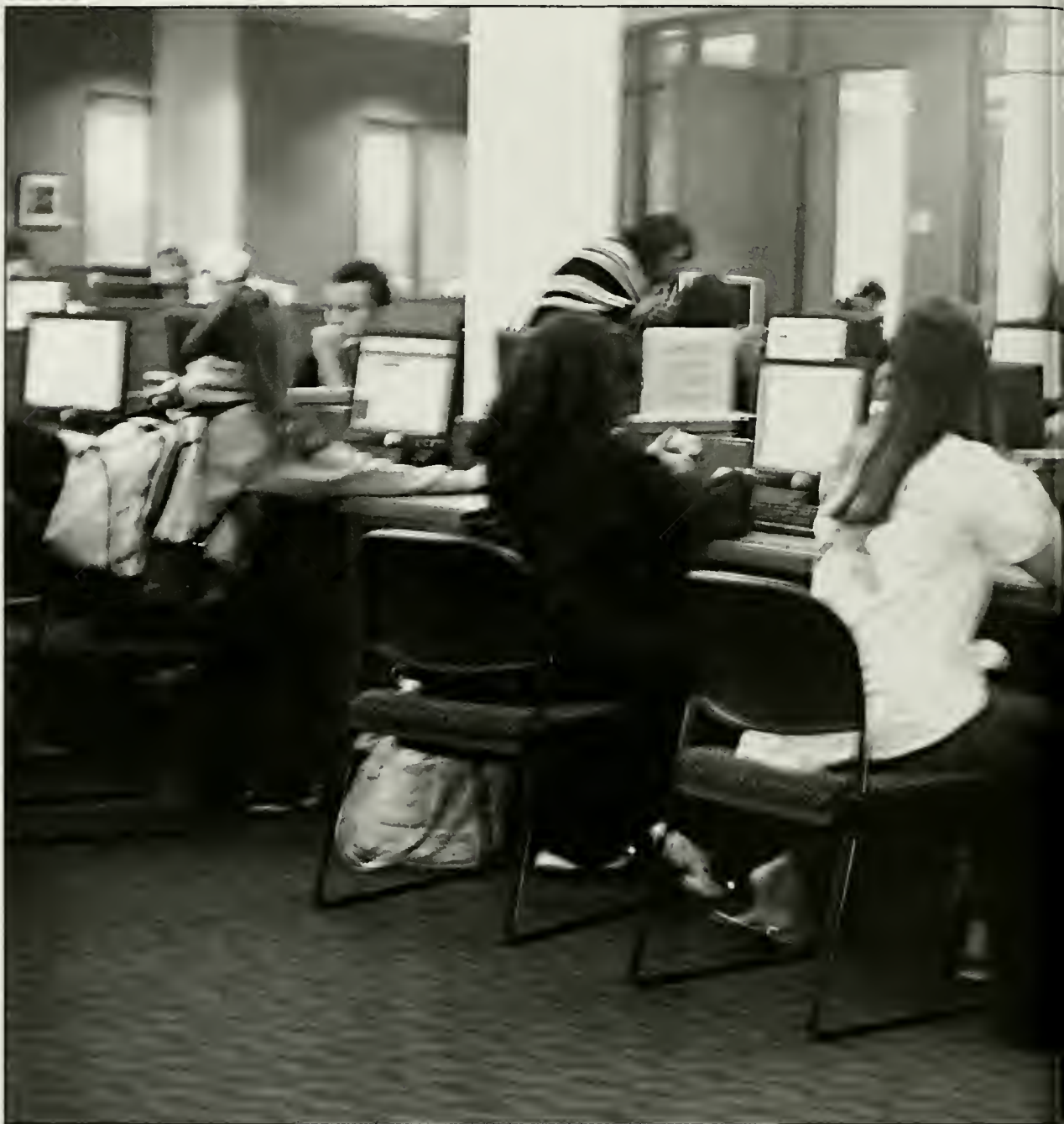


photo by Jennifer Heilman

Students study in Belk Library during all hours of the day. The library is so popular that it has been given the name "Club Belk."



“Some of the teachers here are very inspiring. They push you to do as much as you can do and always make you give your best effort.”

-- Anita Alston

“Most of the professors go out of their way to help you out. They make themselves available, however there are some exceptions to the rule.”

-- Alden DeLamarter





# Expanding *the bubble*

Students declare a field of study, however their experience at Elon is fulfilled through a variety of opportunities. Students expand their knowledge by enrolling in stimulating elective courses such as mastering bridge with Critical Thinking or learning about the Kennedy assassination through film. Students learn not only in the classroom but also through experiences during practicums or study abroad. Cultural events hosted on campus, such as speakers Elie Wiesel and John Glenn, offer unique ways to expand students' academic scope. At the end, when requirements for graduation have been completed, students leave campus with expanded minds. Knowledge gained through experiences at Elon prepare students for life outside the bubble.

by Chrissy Stevens



photo by Chrissy Stevens



photo by Chrissy Stevens

Religion professor Chandana Chakrabarti discusses findings of the impact of globalization with students. Students learned about outsourcing and capitalism in third world countries.

Students congregate between classes in front of Alamance at College Coffee. This is a great time for fellowship with professors as well as friends.



# Displays of Talent in Theater and Engaging Lessons in Science Lab

This year in the Arts and Sciences Departments, many fun and interesting events took place. In the fall, the Theater Arts Department produced different plays, musicals, and showcases for the students and the Elon community's enjoyment. There was the production of the Neil Simon play Brighton Beach Memoirs, which is the coming of age story of an adolescent boy in the middle of New York in the mid 1900's. In late fall, there was the production of the musical Jekyll and Hyde which is the retelling of a classic story with music and well choreographed dances. These productions showcased the talent of Elon's Theater Arts Department.

## Arts and Sciences

In the Science Department this year, students engaged in many interesting labs that required them to learn from first-hand experience. In the Astronomy classes, students would go at night to the roof of the Koury Center where they would use telescopes to observe the stars and put the knowledge that they gain from the classroom into a new perspective. In the Botany class, the students were asked to perform research for a company where they tested germination.

by Rikki Jackson



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

On top of the Koury Center Alumni Gym, students study the stars. Students use the knowledge they gained from the classroom and applied it to the night lab.





photo by Jocelyn Maningo

A student observes plants in botany class. Students completed a project on germination for research for a company.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

professor looks through the telescope and demonstrates to the class what to look for. Astronomy is one of the most popular science classes offered here at Elon.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

The Brighton Beach Memoirs cast rehearses in the Black Box. The Elon community enjoyed the performance and the students performed for sold out shows.





photo by Chrissy Stevens

A model of the new business center is currently displayed in Long. The new business center will be built on the current intramural fields by Danieleley.



photo by Chrissy Stevens

Long is the current building that hosts business classes. The business program at Elon, the Martha and Spencer Love School of Business, was recently accredited with excellence.



photo by Chrissy Stevens

Professor Tanya Riney meets with students in her office to discuss assignments. The students brainstorm paper topics with the professor for an upcoming paper.





## Building a Name for Itself, One New Program at a Time

**A** building, tucked out of the way, is slowly making its presence known throughout campus. The Martha and Spencer Love School of Business is playing a crucial part in Elon's growing popularity. Student's growing interest in the school has encouraged it to add not only brand new programs, but begin building a new business center. Construction for this \$9.5 million project will begin taking place in the spring of 2005. It will be located behind McMichael Science Building. "I wanted to enhance the image of the school internally with Elon both regionally and nationally," said dean of the school, John J. Burbridge Jr. He's been able to make the enhancements by

## School of Business

receiving awards that include the Association of Advance Collegiate Schools of Business International Accreditation, which only top notch business schools receive. However, improvements continue to be made. Majors can participate in Sigma Beta Delta, the national honor society in business administration, or Alpha Kappa Psi, a business fraternity. The school is also looking at creating an internship requirement, wanting students to get involved in real-world experiences.

by Joelle Dent



photo by Chrissy Stevens

The business school has its own computer lab located on the first floor of Long. Students spend time completing work on business projects between classes.



# Education Majors Venture Outside of Elon

This year in the Education Department, students take a hands-on approach to learning by experiencing what it would be like to teach elementary school children. These Elon students went to North Graham Elementary School, and interacted with children in a way that taught the education majors how they will need to interact with children for future teaching jobs. Also in the Education Department this year, students who are a part of the North Carolina Teaching Fellows Program take part in an interesting winter term travel experience where they travel across the eastern seaboard and learn about history and the U.S. Government. Only 25 students are chosen

## Education

yearly for this program and they all must be North Carolina Residents. Also in the Education Department, students from a Foundations of Education class are raising \$2,000 for the their Tajikistan project. This particular class raised money to provide children in Kulob, Tajikistan with a kindergarden program that is not currently available to them. Students at Elon learn not only the importance of education in our country, but in other parts of the world.

by Rikki Jackson

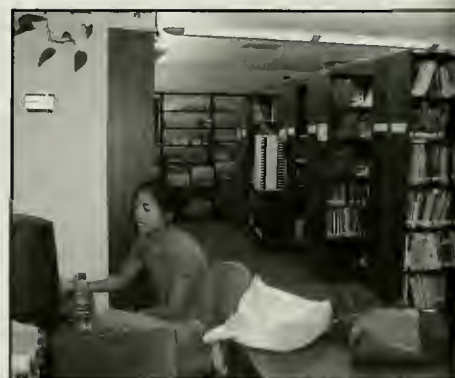
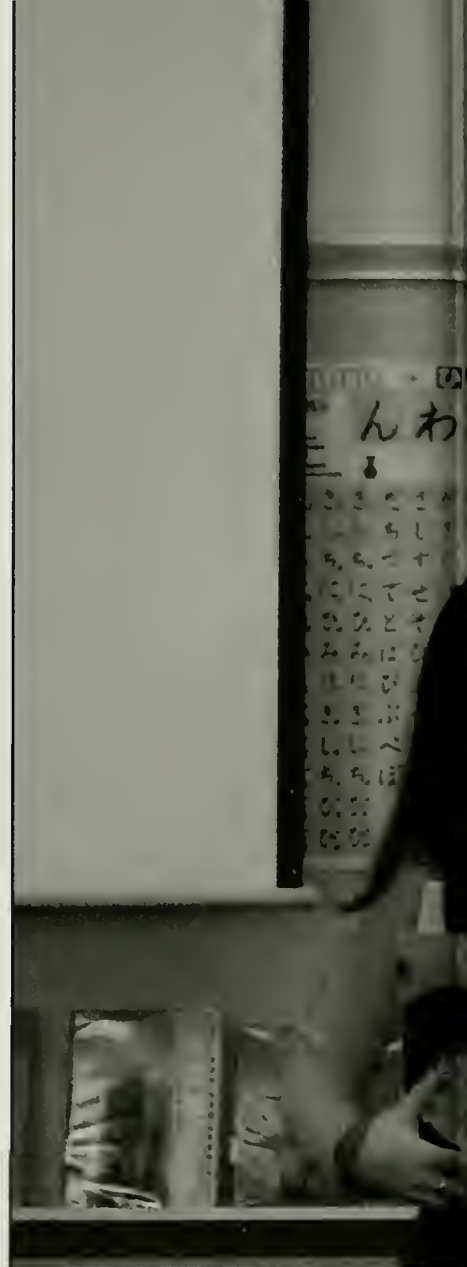


photo by Chrissy Stevens

Jaime Moulton is researching in the Mooney library. The library found on the first floor of Mooney is filled with excellent teaching resources.





photo by Chrissy Stevens

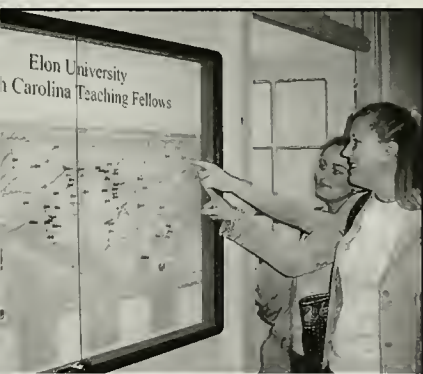


photo by Chrissy Stevens

Teaching Fellows Kara Hawkins and Becky Ferland point to the cities they are from. Teaching Fellows are from all over North Carolina.



photo by Chrissy Stevens

Future teachers keep the computer lab packed. The Teacher Education Program requires a technology portfolio full of internet lesson plans.

Students Anna Schemmelfing and Kelly Boyles do their group presentation on Asian literature during their Children's Literature class. Multicultural literature is studied heavily after fall break.





photo by Jennifer Heilman

J.P. Chisn watches a CNN broadcast on the flat screen television located in the Communications building. The first floor of the Communications School also holds a media "Hall of Fame" of past alumni as well as the First Amendment.



photo by Chrissy Stevens

Students working hard for their communications class in the McEwen computer lab. This lab is located in the basement of McEwen and is one of Elon's Mac labs.



photo by Chrissy Stevens

Marion Aitcheson and Morgan Lasater work together on a computer in the Elon Television office. Elon Television prides itself in new ideas between production and technology.





photo by Chrissy Stevens

is an available lab that is used to  
t material. Communication majors  
n sign up to use Elon equipment to  
t and produce videos and packages  
classes.

## Learning to Communicate

**T**he Communications Department, with more than 500 students, has played a huge part in the lives of students and added so much more to the campus since it was started. The School of Communications is working on becoming the 17th accredited school in the nation. Students have become intrigued by the different programs that the School has to offer. "It is just so fabulous and exciting. As a freshman, I was very, very certain that I wanted to get involved and be part of the communications center. I am a broadcast major so it was just truly great to be able to have this really awesome chance of working in the communications building and being on the Phoenix14 staff," said Kristin Klauder.

# Communications

"It was so much work, but challenged the way I think and made me even more determined to make it in the broadcast industry." The program challenges its majors and forces them to broaden and expand their horizons in and out of the bubble.

by Joelle Dent



# Multicultural Events at Elon Provoke Thought in Students

This year Elon students had many opportunities to be involved in and attend multicultural events. From the Black Cultural Society's (BCS) annual fashion show to the Gospel Choir's fall and spring concerts, many interesting and exciting multicultural events have taken place on campus. In February, Linda Tilley and the Cultural Heritage Choir performed in McCrary Theater. The Grammy nominated choir sang songs that appropriately celebrated Black History Month with soul and slave songs in an effort to preserve the roots of African-American music. In January, students celebrated the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. in Whitley auditorium with a

## Multicultural Events

speech by William Haley, the son of the author of Roots, Alex Haley. He discussed the influences of Dr. King's efforts on present day society. These are just a few examples of the events students have attended and participated in at Elon this year.

by Rikki Jackson



photo courtesy of Multicultural Center  
Students gather for the Multicultural Center's soul food dinner. The dinner allowed a variety of people to meet and socialize.





photo courtesy of Multicultural Center

Elon students prepare the soul food dinner in the kitchen. The dinner included homestyle chicken and other delicious main courses.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

The Multicultural Center is decorated for the holiday season with a tree and Christmas lights. Students participated in holiday decorating with other organizations.



photo courtesy of Multicultural Center

Students and faculty socialize and enjoy the food prepared by students. The community was able to have a taste of soul food.



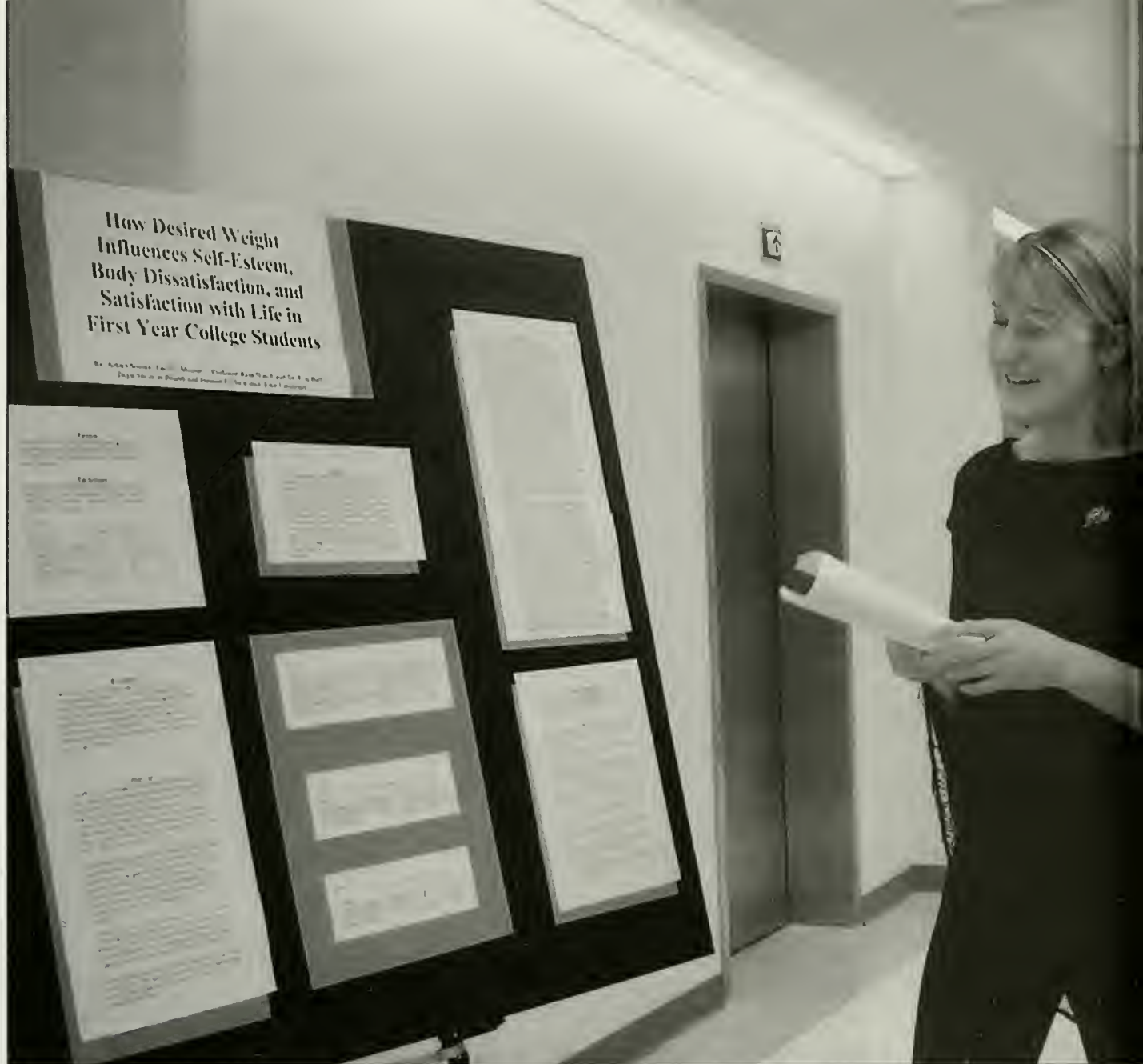


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

A student and faculty member discuss a poster presentation on how desired weight influences a college student's perspective of themselves. Poster presentations allowed students in majors outside of the "normal" SURF research to present their work.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Students and faculty observe their peers SURF projects. SURF created discussion among many individuals about their research.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

SURF presenters teach their peers about what they have been studying for the past year. Many presentations focused on a personal interest.





## Students Present Their Research Findings on SURF DAY

On April 5, the typical class schedule was interrupted by the Student Undergraduate Research Forum, or SURF program. Presentations ranged from topics of literature to computer science. Around noon, there was a exhibit of art work in the Alumni Gym. At that same time there were readings of poetry and non-fiction pieces. In McEwen, students screened their film productions. Later in the day, students attended an “awards and student achievement” celebration ceremony. The day was ended with two student performance galas,

# SURF

a vocal performance in Yeager Auditorium and an instrumental performance in Whitley Auditorium. The presentations allowed students to share their months of hard work with their peers and faculty.

by Rikki Jackson

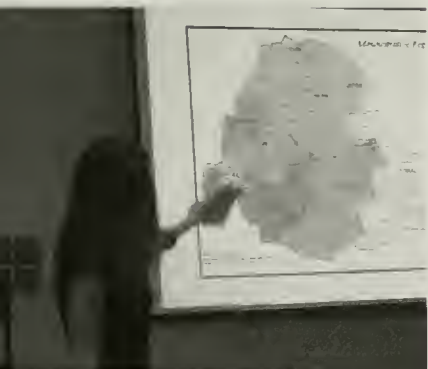


photo by Jocelyn Maningo  
student presents her research to peers after months of work and studying. Students presenting during SURF have the opportunity to have their work published in scholarly journals.



## Periclean Scholars Make a Difference in the Community

**E**lon University is one of ten schools that started up Project Pericles: a challenge to make students active in their community as well as the world. Periclean Scholars go through a thorough application process and must have completed the Global Experiences course. These students will take special courses their sophomore, junior and senior years that focus on a class project. They will gain skills that will empower them to raise these issues in the community and promote change. Elon takes civic engagement and social responsibility seriously. One of Elon's missions is "to be global citizens and informed leaders motivated by concern for the

### Project Pericles

common good." First year objectives for Project Pericles are: to foster a conversation in the community about different ways that Elon can work with other organizations, to try to integrate Periclean values into all parts of the university. Many of these scholars will travel to study AIDS in Africa or to study hunger in India. Project Pericles will grow at Elon as well as around the nation.

by Lisa Parker



photo by Periclean Scholars

Sam White, Vaino Mutota, Zach Arcaro, Rachel Copeland, and Brian Baker stand in front of the Namibian flag. Periclean Scholars also raise money at Elon to help AIDS orphans in Namibia.





photo by Periclean Scholars

Orphans gather outside of an AIDS orphan center in Namibia. Students who work with Project Pericles also survey other global issues such as hunger in India.



photo by Periclean Scholars

Elson Jackson, a worker at an AIDS orphan center in Namibia, stands with students Marissa Morris and Hayley Gravette. These Periclean Scholars learn first-hand about the AIDS crisis.



photo by Periclean Scholars

Hayley Gravette sits with a young girl in an AIDS orphan center in Namibia. Project Pericles allows Elon students to learn from new experiences and different people around the world.





photo by Pamela Brumbaugh

Teddy Coin attends a meeting with Senator Jim Talent. Internships like this one in Washington D.C. give Elon students the opportunity to be involved in the greater community.

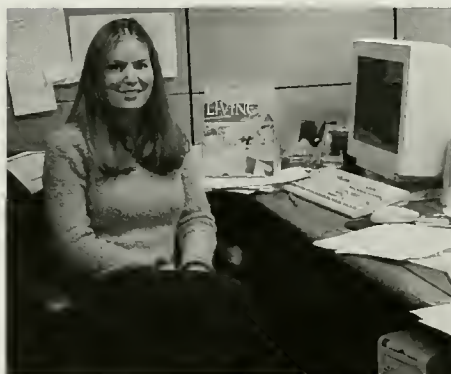


photo by Pamela Brumbaugh

Lindsey Pinkstaff is at work at Oxmoor House Publishing where magazines such as *Southern Living* and *Coastal Living* are created.



photo by Pamela Brumbaugh

Jessica Morse is hard at work at her summer internship at the well known news source *USA Today*.





## Learning Through Experience

This year, many Elon students had the opportunity to work on internships through the Career Center and they have learned many valuable lessons through their experiences. This past summer, students had the opportunity to work with congressmen in Washington D.C. One student, Teddy Coin, worked with Senator Jim Talent in D.C. Another student, Lindsey Pinkstaff, worked on an internship with a well known magazine publishing company that produces magazines such as *Southern Living* and *Coastal Living*. Senior Brian Kellaway worked this past summer on an internship in Washington D.C. in the White House with the Office of the Federal

# Internships

Environmental Executive. Senior Ellie Lightburn worked at *USA Today* with Reggie Murphy in McLean, VA. These summer internship experiences and all of the other internships that Elon offers, allow students to learn more about their personal field of interest.

By Rikki Jackson



photo by Pamela Brumbaugh  
Lindsey Pinkstaff learns from her supervisor Courtney Gunnells at her internship with Oxmoor House Publishing.



# Students Experience New Cultures Through Study Abroad

One of the reasons that students come to Elon is for the opportunity to study abroad. According to the Open Doors Report, "Elon sends more undergraduate students to study abroad than any other master's-level school in the nation." There are four different times for students to study abroad: fall semester, spring semester, summer and winter term. This year more than 700 students studied abroad during winter term and roughly 200 spent the semester abroad. Sixty-three percent of last year's graduating class spent at least one term abroad and this number is expected to go up over the next few years. There are over fifteen countries in

## Study Abroad

the semester abroad program and over twenty to choose from in the winter. Freshman Mallory Dutton spent winter term 2005 in Costa Rica and said, "I couldn't have had a better time. I improved my Spanish, lived with a Costa Rican family and made a lot of new friends." Elon stresses the importance of cultural experiences with the Experiential Learning Requirement and study abroad is the perfect way to fulfill these credits.

by Lisa Parker



photo by Stacy Vogt

In Ireland, students view the beautiful coast. The focus of this study abroad trip is Irish literature, culture and history.



photo by Jennifer Pierson

Two young girls are dressed in Kente cloth in Ghana. This is the common wardrobe of Ghanaians.



photo by Meredith Schecter

These ancient ruins are a beautiful sight. Students learned about the history and culture behind them.



photo by Alicia Cambria

This unique wave rock formation is located in West Australia. The two trips focus on ecotourism and aboriginal studies.



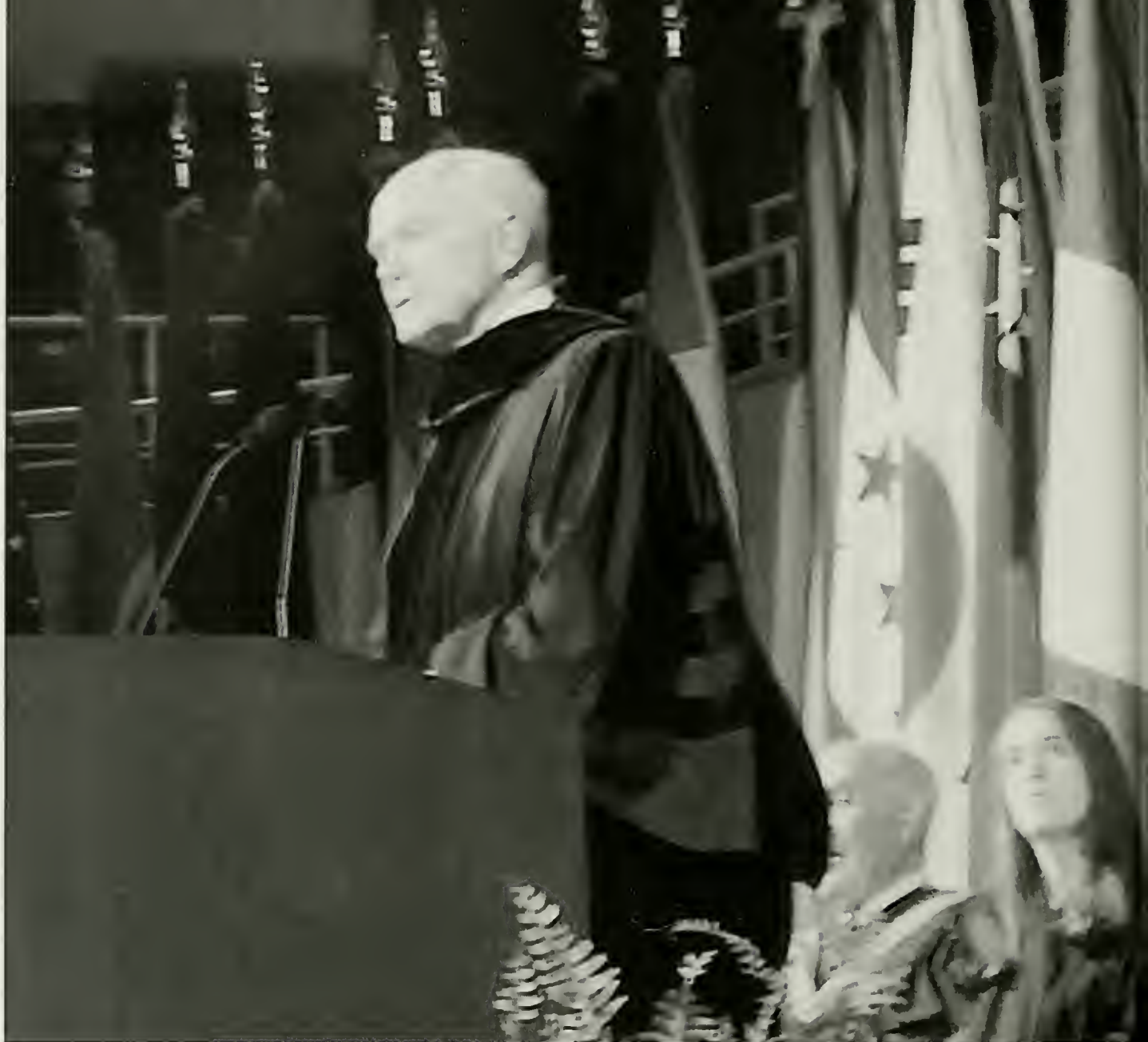


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

John Glenn explained what it was like trying to put eyedrops in his eye without the help of gravity, and the effects of a 78 year-old in space. He also voiced his support of research in space.



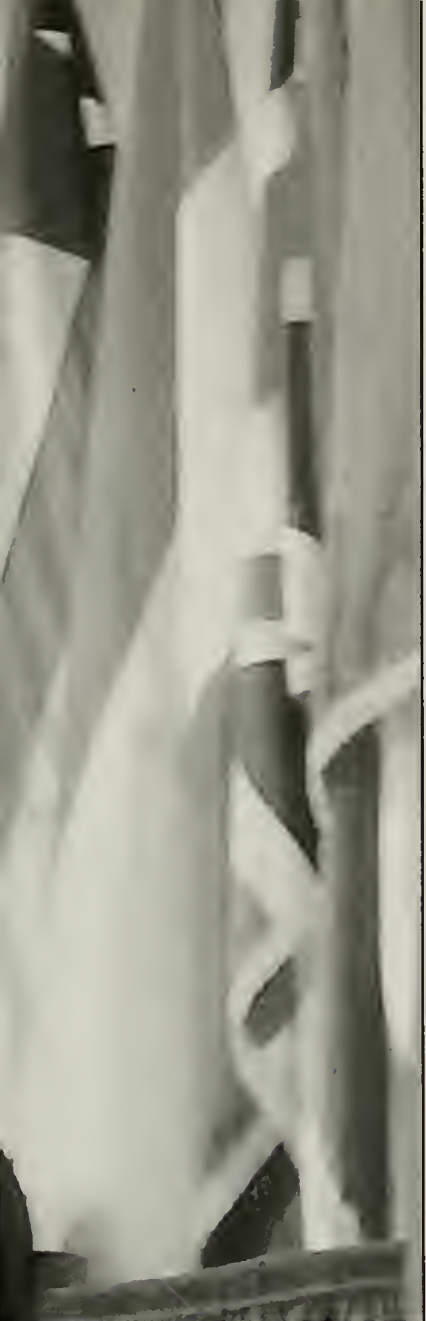
photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Students and faculty gathered to celebrate the start of a new year at the Fall Convocation. Anna Quindlen's message to students was clear and encouraging.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Officials of the school stand to introduce the 2005 spring convocation speaker John Glenn. The Spring Convocation honors graduates, President's List and Dean's List students.



## Anna Quindlen and Senator John Glenn Speak for Convocations

**N**ewsweek columnist and author Anna Quindlen delivered her lecture entitled "How Reading Changed My Life" at Elon University's Fall Convocation in which she shared her thoughts on reading and writing today in a world where hype and marketing can only go so far. Quindlen said the recent success of the Harry Potter book series for children is not based on marketing. Books that focus on interesting characters are creating a new generation who is interested in reading even if their parents are not. "This is a very good time for readers and for reading," she said. "Reading is a pathway to the world."

## Convocations

NASA Astronaut and U.S. Senator John Glenn had a similar educational message for students during his speech at Spring Convocation. Glenn noted that education and research are the two things that have set America apart from the rest of the world. America apart from the rest of the world throughout its history. Glenn also said he was also concerned about proposals in NASA to cut back on research in space. "Many things we learned in space can be beneficial here on Earth," said Glenn. Convocation honored the faculty, graduate students, the Class of 2005 and members of the Elon Society.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo  
Fall Convocation speaker Anna Quindlen discusses the importance of reading in today's society. She also spoke about how certain books are making reading more fun for younger generations.

by Jennifer Heilman



# Guest Speakers Provoke Thought in Elon Students

From drugs, illegal immigrants and pornography to environmental policy and "inside a dolphin's mind," guest speakers have shared their knowledge and opinions to students through a showcase of lectures presented on campus. Chris Wallace, Christine Todd Whitman, Eric Schlosser, Barbara Ehrenreich and Sister Helen Prejean are a few who brought controversial issues to the spotlight.

Eric Schlosser, author of Fast Food Nation and Reefer Madness: Sex, Drugs and Cheap Labor in the American Market, spoke November 16. Focusing on American culture and current

## Guest Speakers

values, Schlosser's lecture discussed primarily the war on drugs and migrant workers. Schlosser said he hopes his work has an impact on people and raises awareness about the injustices which exist in society.

Having ministered to death row inmates and written two books on the death penalty, Sister Helen Prejean, a Roman Catholic nun, discussed her opposition on March 14. Prejean said her years of work with the families of murder victims has convinced her that the death penalty does not bring closure and believes that dignity does not exist in the state of taking someone's life. During an interview with The Pendulum, Co-chair of the Liberal Arts Forum Sarah Pattison said, "We try to pick speakers that will be of some type of interest to a diverse group of students, faculty and staff."

by Jennifer Heilman



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Guest Speaker Clyde Ellis presents his book A Dancing People for students. Elon is well known for its variety of cultural events and speakers.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Clyde Ellis presented his lecture "This is a Good Way to Get Up and Dance: A Look at Contemporary Plains Indian Powwow Culture." He discussed how the powwow affects Indian culture.

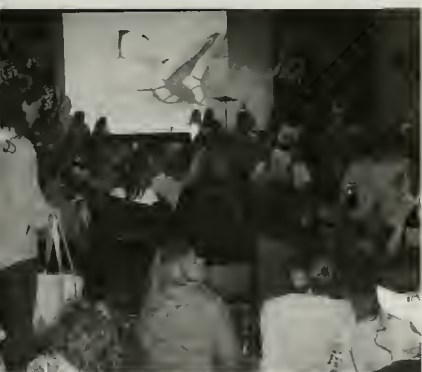


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Members of the Greek Life organization gathered to listen to a speaker about sexuality and the morning after. The speaker concluded with a prayer for all in attendance.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

The Greek Life speaker discusses issues pertaining to decision making and common issues of college girls. This speaker was sponsored by Campus Outreach.





photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Elon students perform the popular *Vagina Monologues* in Whitley Auditorium earlier this year. The monologues celebrate being a woman and the proceeds helped benefit CrossRoads.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Elon students sing during their performance of the story *Jane Eyre*. This musical has been adapted from the beloved novel *Jane Eyre*.



photo courtesy of Jerome Strum

Actors in *Picasso at the Lapin Agile* perform for the Elon community in the Black Box Theater this spring. The Black Box held many smaller performances.



photo courtesy of Jerome Strum

*Picasso at the Lapin Agile* is a Steve Martin comedy about Einstein and Picasso. Auditions are held for students weeks in advance.

## Performing at Their Best

This year the Drama Department has put on many funny and talent-filled performances. In the beginning of the year, the classic Neil Simon play *Brighton Beach Memoirs* was performed by Elon students in the Black Box Theater. This is the coming of age story of a boy living in Brooklyn, New York. Later in the fall, students in the Drama Department performed in *Acting Up!* which was a performance of scenes and monologues that were presented in the form of revues. In the fall, a production of the Shakespeare comedy *Two Gentlemen of Verona* was performed and was very welcomed by sold out audiences.

## Drama

In February, female students performed the popular *Vagina Monologues*. Steve Martin's witty comedy *Picasso at the Lapin Agile* was performed in April by students. It is the story of what might have happened if Einstein and Picasso met in Paris as young men. Students finished off the year by writing and producing their own *One Acts* which premiered in the Black Box Theater.

by Rikki Jackson



## Students and Staff Perform in Showcases of Talent

Elon students and faculty have showcased their music and dance skills in many forms. Throughout the year, there have been recitals where students have had the chance to hear and see their faculty members perform. On February 3rd, Charles Hogan performed in a recital that included Romantic and Neo-Romantic piano music. On March 14th, the Elon community had another chance to attend a faculty recital which featured Victoria Fischer Faw on piano and Fabrice Dharamraj playing the violin. This year in the theater department, students got the opportunity to perform for a casting director. In mid March, Elon's Wind Ensemble performed at

### Music & Dance

a concert with the music of award winning composer John William and featured songs such as "The Emperor Strikes Back and the theme song from *Indiana Jones*. Theater majors performed song and dance numbers in "It's A Grand Night for Singing XIII" on April 1st and 2nd. The performances ranged from pieces from recent song and dance numbers to numbers from the 1930s. These are just a few of the many performances presented by Elon students this school year.

by Rikki Jackson



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Female performers entertain an audience in Yeager Recital Hall. Student performers spent weeks of rehearsal preparing for shows which would be seen by the community.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

student is coached by a faculty member for her audition for a summer job in theater. Students were given the opportunity to audition for Broadway shows.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Performing at an audition, a student sings accompanied by the piano. Students pursuing a major in Music Theatre spend many hours practicing in the Theatre Department.

A group of student dancers perform in Yeager Recital Hall. Performances at Elon are always welcomed with packed audiences of students, staff and members of the Elon community.



As members of the RSA, Dwayne Waite and Rufus serve as the Bingo callers. Survival Bingo gave students the chance to win items useful in college life.

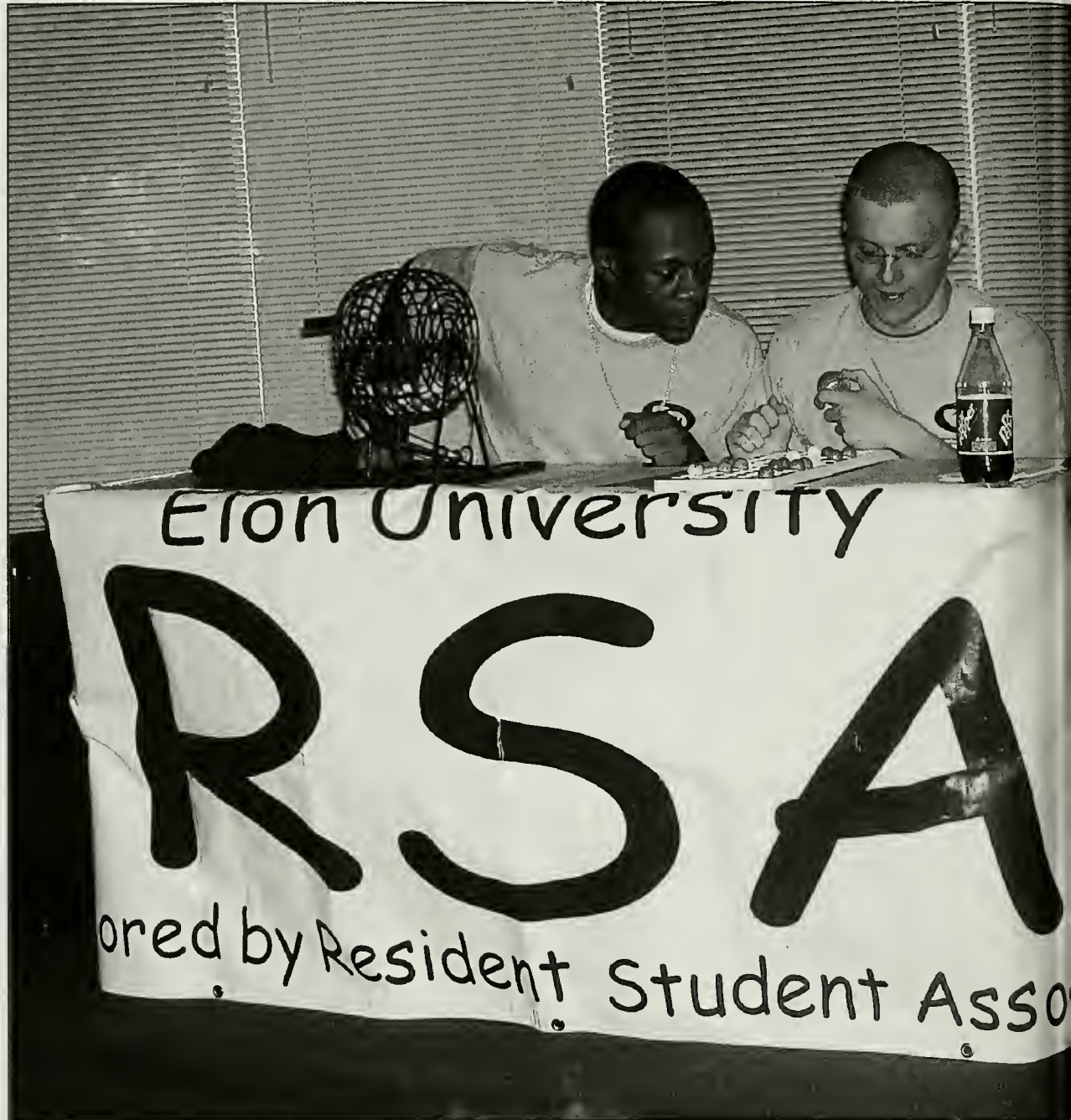


photo by Jocelyn Maningo



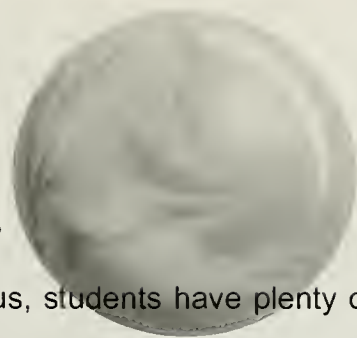
“The Pendulum is great because I get to work with people who are passionate about that same thing I am: journalism.”  
-- Andrew High

“It's rewarding to see people reading The Pendulum on Thursday mornings, because then I know we have done our job well.”  
-- Ashley Feibish



# Inside

the bubble



With over 140 organizations and clubs on campus, students have plenty of activities to choose from. Organizations fall into eight categories, which include academic, government, Greek, honors, media, performance, programming, religious, service and sports. The clubs and groups in these categories have many different activities to benefit the campus and the community. Activities included building a Habitat house, bible studies, musical guests, guest speakers, student performances, awareness for a variety of causes, preparation for future careers, as well as a multitude of other fun and learning experiences. Each organization made campus a busy and more exciting place to be.

by Mary Cunningham



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Campus Recreation informs new students about the programs they offer during the Organization Fair. U-Swim, intramurals and Turkey Trot are a few events Campus Recreation sponsors.

In the opening scene of *Straight Talk*, the five co-hosts talk about the features they will go more in-depth about later. Each week, each host picks a different topic to inform views about.



Free food, high energy and tons of campus

# Information Galore

groups meant it was time for the Organization Fair.

On a hot, sunny afternoon on the third of September, a majority of the campus gathered on Young Commons for one annual event, the Organization Fair. The fair is held at the beginning of each school year to inform new students, freshmen or transfers of all the organizations and programs Elon has to offer. It also gives clubs the chance to recruit new members.

"During freshman orientation, you see only a few of the organizations the campus has to offer. All you keep hearing about is 'join an organization, get involved!' When you go to the Organization Fair, you find things on campus that interest you. It gives a more diverse look at the phrase, 'Become Active,'" said freshman Brian Blocker.

Even local churches, of all denominations, came out to hand out baked goods and ice

cold sodas for the new, eager college students to devour. The churches in the area knew that there would be lots of students looking for a place to worship. The Organization Fair made it easier for students to find that place.

Though freshmen could not join a Greek organization until later in the year, the fair gave them the chance to see all the different Greek organizations that they could possibly become part of.

Sports club teams that played other schools were looking for players who were looking for a competitive game.

The fair was a great opportunity for new students to become aware of organizations on campus and encouraged new students to get involved in the Elon community.

by Lisa Dawn Akers



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

After stopping by the SUB table, a student signs up to be an Orientation Leader. OLs came back to Elon a week earlier than other students to prepare for the new students arrival on campus.

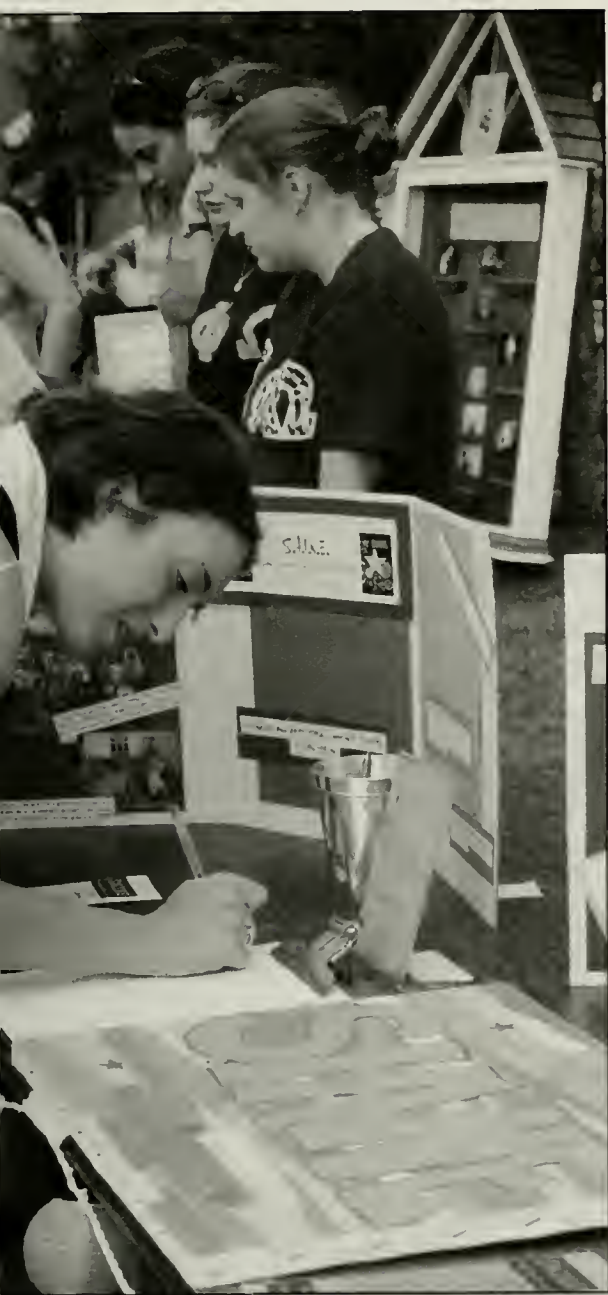


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Excited about ELONTHON, an ELONTHON executive puts an informative bracelet on a new student's wrist. ELONTHON is the annual dance marathon which raises money for Duke Children's Hospital.

Having enjoyed his Orientation Leader so much, a student signs up to be one next year. Orientation Leaders help freshmen get adjusted to Elon during their first week.





After looking at SHINE's posters and learning about what they did, a student signs up to get involved. SHINE (Students Helping in Neighborhoods Everywhere) is a service organization.

## A Closer Look

The organizers of ELONTHON gave out bracelets so people could easily remember to get involved.

### ELONTHON

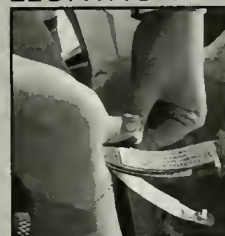


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

### ESTV



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

To become involved with one of the shows at the Elon television station, all students had to do was sign up.

### Student Union Board

The SUB Executives handed out cups and wore "ask me" shirts to encourage students to inquire about SUB.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

### Leadership

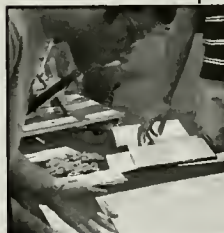


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

The leadership program consists of four phases, one each year, and help students become better leaders.

### Young Life

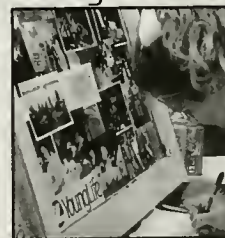


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

After looking through pictures of all that Young Life does, students got involved by signing up.

### College Democrats

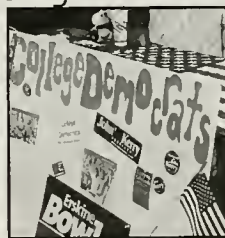


photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Promoting both national Democrats, like Kerry, and local ones, College Democrats try to get new members.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



# Life-long Sisterhood

serve their community, but also to create bonds.

## Alpha Omicron Pi



photo courtesy of Greek Life

- **President:** Tina Mayer
- VP Administration:** Keri Paxton
- VP Education:** Meredith Lyvers
- VP Academic Development:** Catherine Mason
- Recruitment Chair:** Angela Ficca
- Public Relations:** Raechel Abbott
- New Member Education:** Lauryn Dance
- Treasurer:** Stacey Palios
- Risk Management:** Janelle Styons
- Social Chair:** Katie Olsen
- Philanthropy:** Sarah Dollard
- Panhellenic Delegate:** Emily Walker
- Scholarship Chair:** Catherine Mason
- Intramural Chair:** Ashley Krueger
- Ritual Chair:** Shelby Peterson
- Alumni Relations/Senior Programmer:** Lindsay Robinson
- Corresponding Secretary:** Dana Timmons
- Historian:** Katie Gordon
- House Manager:** Sarah Thomas
- **Chapter Name:** Epsilon Chi
- **Philanthropy:** Arthritis Research.

## Alpha Kappa Alpha

- **President:** Anita Alston
- VP:** Shantia Staley
- Secretary:** Chanel Caraway
- Treasurer:** Eden Esters
- **Chapter Name:** Omicron Epsilon
- **Purpose:** To cultivate and encourage high scholastic and ethical standards, to promote unity and friendship among college women and to be of service to all mankind.
- **Philanthropy:** Has multiple philanthropies locally and nationally.
- **Size:** 7 members
- **Events:** March of Dimes, Christmas Cheer, AKA Coat Days, Ivy Academy, Get a Kiss From an AKA: Sickle Cell awareness, voter registration and Matters of the Heart: Cardiovascular awareness.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## Alpha Chi Omega



photo courtesy of Greek Life

- **President:** Kylene Westerholm
- VP CRSB:** Lauren Bagdy
- VP Fraternity Relations:** Karen Klein
- VP Education:** Alison Clott
- VP Finance:** Sarah McCollum
- VP Intellectual Development:** Collen Holly
- VP Recruitment:** Lexi Swinimer
- VP Membership Development:** Melissa Davenport
- VP Risk Management:** Gibson Smith
- VP Communications:** Bridget Burckell
- Panhellenic Delegate:** Laura Furr
- Social Chair:** Melissa Apperson
- House Manager:** Julie Rohman
- **Chapter Name:** Iota Psi
- **Philanthropy:** Supporting victims of domestic violence.
- **Events:** Alpatraz, mixers and themed parties.

## Alpha Xi Delta

**President:** Jennifer Pautz

**VP - PR:** Sarah Keach

**Secretary:**

Samantha Hoffman

**Treasurer:** Nicole Miller

**Recruitment Chair:**

Kimberly Turrill

**Social Chair:**

Macqueline Milazzo

**Virtual Chair:** Kara Anderson

**Philanthropy Chair:**

Julia Tiedt

**Alumnae Relations Chair:**

Rebecca Dilday

**Scholarship Chair:**

Jackie Nelson

**Intramural Chair:**

Lauren Rappaport

**New Member Educator:**

Erin Andrews

**Risk Management:**

Kathryn Freeman

**Panhellenic Delegate:**

Kate Catlin

**Historian:** Brittany Smith

**House Manager:**

Charlie Devaney

**Chapter Name:** Theta Nu

**Philanthropy:** Choose

Children

**Events:** Bump It-Thump It, Xi

Week, Trick-or-Treat at Boys &

Girls Club, mixers, crush

parties, formals, semi-formals

and volunteer work.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## Delta Delta Delta



photo courtesy of Greek Life

**President:** Britten Ginsberg

**VP:** Nicole Nenna

**Secretary:** Lindsay Wright

**Treasurer:** Kathryn Fearing

**Recruitment Chair:**

Ashley Burke

**Social Chair:**

Jackie Anderson

**Philanthropy Chair:**

Cat Callahan

**Alumnae Relations Chair:**

Katie Leister

**Scholarship Chair:**

Kyleen Sinowski

**Intramural Chair:**

Cheryl Bartolomeo

**New Member Educator:**

Erica Moorefield

**Risk Management:**

Krista Whalen

**Panhellenic Delegate:**

Jenna Elkington

**Chapter Name:**

Epsilon Delta

**Philanthropy:** Children's cancer charities & partnership with St. Jude's in Memphis.

**Events:** Philanthropy fundraisers and social events.

## Phi Mu

**President:** Kate Crist

**VP:** Ashley Rossi

**Secretary:** Ashley Sumwalt

**Treasurer:** Caroline Geiger

**Recruitment Chair:**

Brooke Veith

**Social Chair & Risk Manage-**

**ment:** Paige Richardson

**Philanthropy Chair:**

Jamie Cathell

**Alumnae Relations Chair:**

Tracey Jennings

**Scholarship Chair:**

Elizabeth Vanderwerker

**Intramural Chair:**

Lauren Mullins

**New Member Educator:**

Samantha Holland

**Panhellenic Delegate:**

Caity Cummings

**House Manager:**

Lauren Meszaros

**Chapter Name:** Gamma Nu

**Philanthropy:** Children's Miracle Network.

**Events:** Philanthropy fundraisers and social events.



photo courtesy of Greek Life



Although many people mistakenly think sororities are all about

# Fun, Games & Service

parties, they also do wonderful things for their philanthropies.

## Sigma Kappa

• **President:**

Katelin Carnahan

**VP:** Megan Deasy

**Secretary:** Sarah Norton

**Treasurer:** Katherine Hendricks

**Recruitment Chair:**

Lindsey Brown

**Social Chair:**

Susanna Hearn

**Ritual Chair:** Kellyn McLamb

**Philanthropy Chair:**

Lindsay Miller

**Alumnae Relations Chair:**

Emily Walker

**Scholarship Chair:**

Jess Czerwin

**Intramural Chair:**

Kristin Roy

**New Member Educator:**

Diana Eaton

**Risk Management:**

Becky Barker

**Panhellenic Delegate:**

Liz Joy

**Historian:** Leah Breglio

**House Manager:**

Emily Sargent

• **Chapter Name:** Kappa Zeta

• **Philanthropy:** Alzheimer's, gertology and the Maine Seacoast Missionary Society.

• **Size:** 164 members

• **Events:** Volunteer at nursing homes, annual memory walk for Alzheimer's research, sponsor Kick in the Grass soccer tournament for Alzheimer's and gertology research, sisterhood and social events.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## Sigma Gamma Rho



photo courtesy of Sigma Gamma Rho

• **President:**

Allison Grimes

**VP:** Ronetta Walker

**Secretary & Treasurer:**

Chandra Hicks

• **Chapter Name:**

Omicron Upsilon

• **Purpose:** To enhance the lives of Elon students as well as educate them.

• **Philanthropy:** March of Dimes, Project Wee Savers, Operation Big Book Bag, Project Reassurance.

• **Events:** A Night of the Arts, Eho Relaxation Night, Buckle Up America, volunteering with Safe Rides, Pet Adoption Center and Positive Attitudes.

## Sigma Sigma Sigma



photo courtesy of Greek Life

• **President:** Hartley Carlson

**VP:** Christine Hopewell

**Secretary:** Meghan Trainor

**Treasurer:** Lauren Plate

**Recruitment Chair:**

Maggie Palattner

**Social Chair & Risk Management:** Bryane Hensan

**Ritual Chair & New Member**

**Education:** Falon Nye

**Philanthropy Chair:**

Caitlin Trapani

**Alumnae Relations Chair & House Manager:**

Kiley Moorefield

**Intramural Chair:**

Allie Young

**Member Education:**

Jenna Fusaro

• **Chapter Name:** Epsilon Chi

• **Philanthropy:** Arthritis Research.

## Zeta Phi Beta

**President:** Anola Douglas  
**P & Philanthropy Chair:** Mary Caruso  
**Treasurer:** Valencia Smith  
**Service Chair:** Ashley Marshall  
**Public Relations:** Kristina Foster  
**Historian & NPHC Delegate:** Hudney Richmond  
**Parliamentarian:** Yaa Yeakey  
**Chapter Name:** Xi Omicron  
**Philanthropy:** Z-HOPE (Zeta Helping Other People Excel).  
**Events:** March of Dimes Walk America for Prematurity Awareness and Blue and White Ball.

## Zeta Tau Alpha



photo courtesy of Greek Life



photo courtesy of Greek Life

**President:** Carly Gydosh  
**VP:** Day Peery  
**Secretary:** Carrie Arnold  
**Treasurer:** Cara Loose  
**Recruitment Chair:** Kim Atwater  
**Social Chair:** Emily Hilton  
**Ritual Chair:** Reagan Shaw  
**Philanthropy Chair:** Lindsey Irwine  
**Alumnae Relations Chair:** Misty Pearson  
**Scholarship Chair:** Samantha Contessa  
**New Member Educator:** Alison Ridzon  
**Panhellenic Delegate:** Jenna Bailey  
**Historian:** Annie Langdon  
**House Manager:** Chealsea Lintelman  
• **Chapter Name:** Eta Zeta  
• **Philanthropy:** Breast Cancer Education & Awareness.  
• **Events:** Think Pink Breast Cancer Awareness and golf tournament.

## Panhellenic Council

• **President:** Kellimarie Stancato  
**VP:** Kliey Moorefield  
**Director of Education:** Casey Pike  
**Director of Recruitment:** Brooke Liebe  
**Assistant Director of Recruitment:** Jenna Bailey  
**Director Service:** Kristi Stadelman  
**Director of Scholarship:** Jill Puckhaber  
**Director of Public Relations:** Michelle Taft  
• **Members:** Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Xi Delta, Delta Delta Delta, Phi Mu, Sigma Kappa, Sigma Sigma Sigma, Zeta Tau Alpha.  
• **Purpose:** Set guidelines for sororities and is responsible for coordinating programs.  
• **Coordinating Programs:** Women's Week Issues, Week of the Scholar, helps with Trick-or-Treat on Greek Street, Loy Center Lighting and Homecoming.

## Recruitment Counselors



photo courtesy of Greek Life



# Brotherhood Bonds

social events together to form lasting friendships.

## Alpha Phi Alpha



photo courtesy of Alpha Phi Alpha

- **President:** Raphael Garcia
- VP:** Chris Woods
- Secretary:** Damon Ogburn
- Treasurer:** David Morrow
- NPHC Rep:** Devin Grasty
- Historian:** Jason Nephew
- Chaplin:** Maurice Whitfield
- **Chapter Name:** Sigma Delta
- **Purpose:** To serve the Elon community through educational events, community service and social events.
- **Philanthropy:** March of Dimes.
- **Events:** Homecoming step show, education events promoted by Forward March programming, Health Awareness Week and Ebony and Ivory Week.

## Kappa Alpha Order

- **President:** Paul Skrickus
- VP:** Kyle Fleishmann
- Secretary:** Daniel Scagnelli
- Treasurer:** Mike Ryan
- Recruitment Chair & House Manager:** Stephen Dahlem
- Social Chair:** Mike Ryan
- Ritual Chair:** Brittin Eustis
- Philanthropy Chair:** Brent Baker
- New Member Educator & Historian:** JD Yearwood
- Risk Management:** Ben Hanna
- **Chapter Name:** Epsilon Mu
- **Purpose:** Promote excellence, morals and values of our founder.
- **Size:** 57 members
- **Philanthropy:** Muscular Dystrophy Association.
- **Events:** KA Kingpin.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## Kappa Alpha Psi



photo courtesy of Greek Life

- **President:** Dwayne Ijames
- VP:** Mark Hatch
- Secretary:** Dwayne Ijames
- Treasurer:** Reggie Hall
- **Chapter Name:** Nu Theta
- **Philanthropy:** Guide Rights Program.
- **Events:** Multiple philanthropy and social events.

## Kappa Sigma

**President:** Mark LaPierre

**VP:** Ben Masino

**Secretary:** Dan Erdman

**Treasurer:** John Tripp

**Recruitment Chair:**

Alex French

**Social Chair:**

Brian Stansfield

**Philanthropy Chair:**

Dam Pierson

**Alumni Relations Chair:**

iston Team

**Intramural Chair:**

oug Andrews

**Membership Education:**

ec Campbell

**Risk Management:**

illy Skelly

**House Manager:**

ohn Kalas

**Chapter Name:**

ambda Lambda

**Philanthropy:** American

reast Cancer Foundation.

**Events:** Philanthropy and

ocial events.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## Lamda Chi Alpha



photo courtesy of Greek Life

• **President:** Tyler Brandt

**Internal VP:** William Noble

**External VP:** Scott Wingrat

**Secretary:** George Memory

**Treasurer:** Mark Schwartz

**Risk Management:**

Mark Horsburg

**Recruitment Chair:**

Scott Christenbury

**Philanthropy Chair:** Scott

Wingrat

**Ritual Chair:**

William Primrose

**Membership Education:**

Robert McAleer

**New Member Educator &**

**House Manager:**

Matthew Taylor

**Social Chair:** Branden Hicks

**Alumni Relations &**

**Intramural Chair:**

Kyle Kovach

**IFC Delegate:** Bill Noble & Mark

Schwartz

• **Chapter Name:** Delta Pi

Zeta

• **Purpose:** To bring together men of good moral character in their college years to grow and develop into adults through honorable friendships, intellectual excellence and brotherly love.

• **Philanthropy:** North American Canned Food Drive.

• **Size:** 70 members

• **Events:** Brothers Feeding Brothers, Pumpkinfest and Soup Stir with Elon Exchange Club.

## Omega Psi Phi

• **President:** Marcus Johnson

**VP:** Ronnie Dargan

**Secretary:** Shaun Miller

**Treasurer:** Calvin Sutton

• **Chapter Name:** Sigma Mu

• **Philanthropy:** United Negro College Fund.

• **Events:** Philanthropy and social events.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

by Mary Cunningham



Though members are not biologically related, they

# Brotherly Love

will still do anything to help out a fellow brother.

## Pi Kappa Phi

• **President:** Ryan Rate  
**VP & Recruitment Chair:**  
Brendan Clearkin  
**Secretary:** Malcom White  
**Treasurer:** Brian Simpson  
**Social Chair & Risk Management:** John Sirabella  
**Ritual Chair:** Pat Guthrie  
**Philanthropy Chair:**  
Jason Pressberg  
**Alumni Relations Chair:** Justin Townsley  
**Scholarship Chair:**  
Michael Lynch

**Intramural Chair:**  
Alex Kreitman  
**New Member Educator & Membership Education:**  
Chris Hickey  
**Historian:** Geoff Childs  
**House Manager:**  
Eric Snyder  
• **Chapter Name:**  
Epsilon Alpha  
• **Purpose:** Building brotherhood and serving the greater community through our national philanthropy.

• **Philanthropy:**  
PUSH America.  
• **Size:** 84 members  
• **Events:** No Boundaries Week, Sorority Football Tournament, B.I.K.E. Event and Greek Week.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## Sigma Chi



photo courtesy of Greek Life

• **President & Treasurer:**  
Elliot Cardano  
**VP:** Mike Dougherty  
**Secretary:** Brad Austin  
**Treasurer:** Brian Simpson  
**Recruitment Chair & House Manager:** Bert Olson  
**Social Chair:** Drew Barnes  
**Ritual Chair:** Steve Hillebrand  
**Philanthropy Chair:**  
Warren Sacks  
**Alumni Relations Chair:** Toby Arnheim  
**Scholarship Chair:**  
Mallie Colavita  
**Intramural Chair:**  
Blake Stonbraker  
**New Member Educator & Membership Education:**  
Chris Ahlgrim  
**Risk Management:**  
Lauren Ciovacco  
**Historian:** Zachary Lantelme  
**House Manager:**  
Eric Snyder  
• **Chapter Name:**  
Epsilon Theta  
• **Philanthropy:** Children's Miracle Network.  
• **Events:** Philanthropy and social events.

## Phi Beta Sigma



photo courtesy of Greek Life

• **President:**  
Robert-Thomas Jones  
**VP:** Jamar Whitfield  
**Secretary:** Jim Saia  
**Treasurer:** James Brewer  
• **Chapter Name:**  
Alpha Beta Beta  
• **Philanthropy:** American Cancer Society, March of Dimes, Direct Fund, St. Jude's Research Hospital and Nation Bone Marrow Donor.  
• **Events:** Sigma Week "Z-Blue," Black History Week, Christmas Cheer and Blue and White Week.

## Sigma Pi

**President:** Ryan Moore  
**VP, Recruitment Chair & Philanthropy Chair:** Matthew Schulze  
**Secretary:** Nick Wierengo  
**Treasurer:** Partick Dowling  
**Social & Intramural Chair:** Brian Gift  
**New Member Educator:** Drew Contessa  
**Risk Management & House Manager:** Jameson Dion  
**Chapter Name:** Epsilon Theta  
**Philanthropy:** American Red Cross, Teh Sigma Pi Educational Fund, and Multiple Sclerosis.  
**Events:** Philanthropy and social events.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

## National Pan-Hellenic Council

• **President:** Cameron Davis  
**VP:** Christopher Woods  
**Secretary:** Eden Esters  
**Treasurer:** Raphael Garcia  
• **Members:** Alpha Kappa Alpha, Alpha Phi Alpha, Kappa Alpha Psi, Omega Psi Phi, Phi Beta Sigma, Sigma Gamma Rho and Zeta Phi Beta  
• **Purpose:** Helps govern member organizations and bring chapters together for service, communication and creating equity.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

Members of Alpha Phi Alpha, part of the National Pan-Hellenic Council.

## Interfraternity Council

• **President:** Ben Masino  
**VP Education:** Jason King  
**VP Recruitment:** Stephen Dahlem  
**VP Risk Management:** Christopher Ahlgrim  
**VP Public Relations:** Tyler Brandt  
**VP Service:** Alex French  
• **Members:** Kappa Alpha Order, Kappa Sigma, Lambda Chi Alpha, Pi Kappa Phi, Sigma Chi and Sigma Pi.  
• **Purpose:** Govern the member organizations and participate with National Pan-Hellenic Council and the Pan-Hellenic Council to organize events.  
• **Events:** Greek Week and Trick-or-Treat on Greek Street.



photo courtesy of Greek Life

Members of Pi Kappa Phi, part of the Interfraternity Council.



Friendly competition among all the Greek organizations on

# Greeks and More

campus was encouraged throughout Greek Week.

Every year, sororities and fraternities look forward to one week in the spring where Greeks compete against one another in hopes to become the champion of Greek Week. Competitions spanned the week of April 18-22 when Greek organizations put their game face on and put their best foot forward.

The most anticipated part of the week, the Greek Week Dance competition, was held on Monday the 18th. The gym was filled with groups in different themed T-shirts supporting their organization's dance team. The winner was Sigma Sigma Sigma, followed by Phi Mu and Sigma Kappa. A guest speaker on Tuesday night gave a lecture entitled "How to Confront the Idiot in Your Chapter." Greeks learned the importance of confronting issues in their chapters and they found out the best way to do so.

The organizations answered trivia questions in

the Quiz Bowl on Wednesday. The sisters of Alpha Xi Delta won the Quiz Bowl. The second annual Make-A-Wish Concert was held in the Alumni Gym on Thursday. Greeks came out to support different performers: Twisted Measure, Sweet Signatures, the Gospel Choir, the Skip-Sations, Chris Hendrix and other talented musicians. The week ended with the Greek Olympics on Friday afternoon where the organizations came out in their athletic gear to compete in events like dizzy-bat, the water balloon toss, relay races and four square.

Points were awarded based on winning and number of people in attendance. Sigma Sigma Sigma was the overall winner for the women's division and Pi Kappa Phi placed first for the men's division. All proceeds from the week went to Make-A-Wish Foundation.

by Lisa Parker



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Combining all the NPHC fraternities, a member of Alpha Pi Alpha works hard to get his moves right. The NPHC's efforts worked and helped them gain first place in the fraternity competition.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

With a candy shop theme, Alpha Omicron Pi dancers wave their lollipop's to the music. Sticking with their theme, Alpha Omicron Pi danced to songs like "Lollipop, Lollipop" and 50 Cent's "Candysop."

Strutting their stuff, members of Pi Kappa Phi do their dance in hopes to place. Every organization got points for dancing, but first, second, and third were worth the most points.





photo by Jocelyn Maningo

With coordinating outfits, brothers of Sigma Chi do their best to impress the judges. The judges consisted of numerous, unaffiliated faculty and staff members, so there would be no bias.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

Starting off Greek Week, Sigma Sigma Sigma preforms at the dance. Sigma Sigma Sigma had a lot of talented dancers and good choreography which led to their first place victory in the sorority competition.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

On Wednesday, April 20th, Delta Delta Delta and Sigma Kappa battle each other in the Quiz Bowl with questions about Greek Life, Disney and Elon. Though Delta Delta Delta started strong, Alpha Xi Delta ended up winning the bowl.



ELONTHON has students dancing for twenty-four

# Dance All Night

hours in order to raise money for Duke Children's Hospital.

Staying up all night is not uncommon to college students. However, standing up all night is a different story. Over 200 students participated in ELONTHON held on March 5 and 6 to help raise nearly \$40,000 for Duke Children's Hospital. Many people spent the better part of the year planning this event, from choreographing a morale dance to fundraising, to making sure that the dancers were well fed throughout the 24 hours.

There were many planned events to keep the dancers occupied. The dancers got to see Twisted Measure, Sweet Signatures and Elon's Finest. To keep enthusiasm high throughout the 24 hours, a dance was created. The dance was created by a committee which had been working since the beginning of the year. At the beginning of

each hour a new part of a popular song and choreography to go along with it was taught to the dancers. The songs were easily recognizable, such as *Barbie Girl* by Aqua, and the dance moves were fun and crazy.

Campus Recreation sponsored three of the 24 hours which enabled dancers to take a break from dancing or standing to swim.

A few "miracle children" visited the dancers to share their stories. There were kids of all different ages with different backgrounds, but they managed to keep the dancers going and really give this dance marathon a deeper meaning. Sophomore Laura Furr said, "It meant a lot to actually see the kids that we were doing this for. If these children could overcome these diseases, we could definately make it through the night."

by Lisa Parker



Some kids from Duke Children's Hospital came out to the event, Brittany Brackett, and Ellie Bartholomay got to entertain Joshua, and another child. ELONTHON was a fundraiser for the children's hospital.



Keeping spirits high, as another hour passed, dancers learn new steps to the morale dance. By the end of the night there was one fun, long dance since new steps were added every hour.





Though not required to dance for the entire 24 hours, Dave Warfel and a friend have some fun dancing. Dancers were required to stand for 24 hours; for a five minute break they had to pay one dollar.

For Locks-of-Love, Stevie Kloeber gets ten inches of her hair cut off. Locks-of-Love is a charity which makes wigs for cancer patients out of real hair donated by generous people.



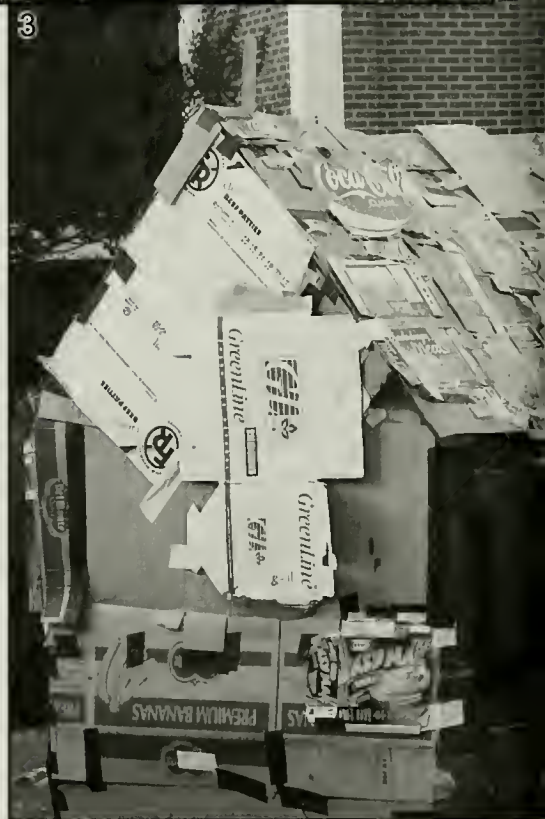
Starting out strong, participants do the dance to the *Saved By The Bell* theme song as part of the morale dance. *Saved By The Bell* was one of the first songs, so the dancers knew it well.

Some of the toilet paper princesses outfits designed by teams, await the judges thoughts. Throughout the 24 hours a variety of morale events helped keep dancers awake and motivated.



# Helping Hands

helped build a house for a family in Alamance County



1. The Periclean Scholars and International Relations Club were two of the many participants in Habitat's fundraiser, Shack-a-Thon. 2. Looking at her list, a Habitat member checks in all the organizations involved in Shack-a-Thon. 3. Putting the finishing touches on their shack, members of the leadership program admire their work. 4. Winning second place, Ethan Barber preforms "Lily Girl" much to the delight of the crowd. The Showcase Showdown is an annual talent show hosted by Habitat.

• **President:**

Valentine Woods

**VP:** Barbara Schutz

**Secretaries:** Rachel Copeland & Julie Putnam

**Treasurer:** Amanda Melick

**Fundraising Coordinators:** Katie Rosenthal & Ashley Lawson

**Publicity Coordinators:**

Erica Moore & Dan Petro

**Square Foot Coordinators:**

Danielle Pawul & Emily Grey

**Building Coordinator:** Robin Smith

**Habifest/Shack-a-Thon**

**Coordinator:** Jeff Heyer

**Webmaster:** Chris Hendricks

• **Purpose:** "To sponsor and build one Habitat House per year for a deserving family in Alamance County."

• **Events:** Showcase Showdown, Shack-a-Thon, Spaghetti Dinner, Habifest, Senior Prom, and Square Foot Day

• **Size:** 150 members





photos by Danielle Blakely



photos by Jocelyn Maningo

5. Having left over supplies that they cannot use, members of Habitat place all their scraps together. 6. After many hours of work and multiple Saturdays, the Habitat house is almost complete. 7. With so much plywood to put up, three Habitat members work together to finish the job. 8. Nailing plywood into a corner, Jeff Heyer reaches for a high place.



With no benefit to themselves, service groups help

# Selflessly Serving Others

many people do things they could not otherwise do

## Epsilon Sigma Alpha



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

### Co-ed International Service Sorority

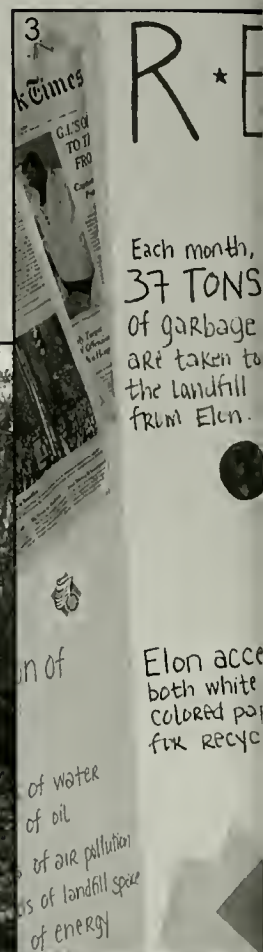
- **Philanthropy:** Helping St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, TN.

- **Purpose:** Helping the Elon community by participating in community service and social activities.

- **Events:** Participate in Habitat for Humanity, Safe Rides, Homecoming and other similar events.



photos by Pamela Kopsky



Each month,  
37 TONS  
of garbage  
are taken to  
the landfill  
from Elon.

Elon accepts  
both white  
colored paper  
for recycling

of water  
of oil  
of air pollution  
of landfill space  
of energy

1. During their end of the semester cook out, a member of the Sierra club enjoys a game of frisbee. 2. Before they can have smores, Sierra Club members search for firewood. 3. To encourage people to recycle, Sierra Club sets up a table in Moseley to give students more information on recycling. 4. After a good semester, two members kick around a soccer ball at the cook out.



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

• **President:**

Jennifer Gough

**VP:** Rachel DellaValle

**Treasurer:** Frank Pike

• **Purpose:** To educate the Elon community about environmental issues and raise environmental awareness.

• **Events:** Every spring the Sierra Student Coalition hosts Earth Fest which is a day long event with live bands, organic and in-organic food, canoeing on Lake Mary Nell and environmental education activities.

• **Size:** About 20 active members.

## Safe Rides

• **Coodinator:**

Lindsay Wright

• **Purpose:** Student run volunteer program which provides students with an alternative to drinking and driving or walking alone on campus late at night.

• **Operating Hours:**

Thursday nights: 10 p.m. - 2 a.m.

Friday & Saturday nights: 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m.

• **Events:** Appreciation party for all volunteers.



photo by Pamela Kopsky



Every medium makes a different product, but these organizations

# Media Madness

give students something to watch and hear everyday.

## ESTV: Televison

- **President:** Scott Myrick
- **Purpose:** Bring the campus and community quality programming that is written, produced, edited and shot by students. It gives students a chance to practice for future careers.
- **Shows:** Phoenix 14 News, Straight Talk, Win Stuff.



photos by Jocelyn Maringo

1. Though not getting the recognition that the hosts receive, a student knows working a camera is just as an important role in making a show. 2. While taping a television show, the camera people, producers and hosts must be informed about the show. 3. During rehearsal, the producers make sure the hosts of Straight Talk know what order they go in. 4. Before starting the show, Matt Belanger makes sure the camera is focused and ready to use.

## WSOE: Radio

- **General Manager:**

Jon Chuk

**Programming:** Greg Piel

**Business:** Carolyn Fiala

**Music:** Kelson Fagan

**Sales:** Krisin Barr

**Production:** Ben Wright

**News:** Lara Nicotra &  
Derek Powers

**Sports:** Mike Demos

**Training/Personnel:**

Whitney Taylor

**Community Relations:**

Cody McMahan

**University Relations:**

Michelle Tufts

- **Purpose:** To bring music and news to the Elon community and give students a chance to learn useful skills for the future.



photos courtesy of WSOE

5. Staff members of WSOE travel to Las Vegas for the National Association of Broadcasters Conference. 6. Business Manager Carolyn Fiala discusses an upcoming event with staff at WSOE's general staff meeting. 7. Members of WSOE traveled with ESTV to Las Vegas for the broadcasting conference.



The written word and photographs are the materials

# Written Media

that make products that last a lifetime.

## Phi Psi Cli: Yearbook



photo by Edwin Thompson

### • Editor in Chief & Student

**Life Editor:** Jennifer Heilman

**Copy Editor:** Lisa Parker

**Arts & Academics Editor:**

Rikki Jackson

**Organizations Editor:**

Mary Cunningham

**People Editor:** Laura Eastes

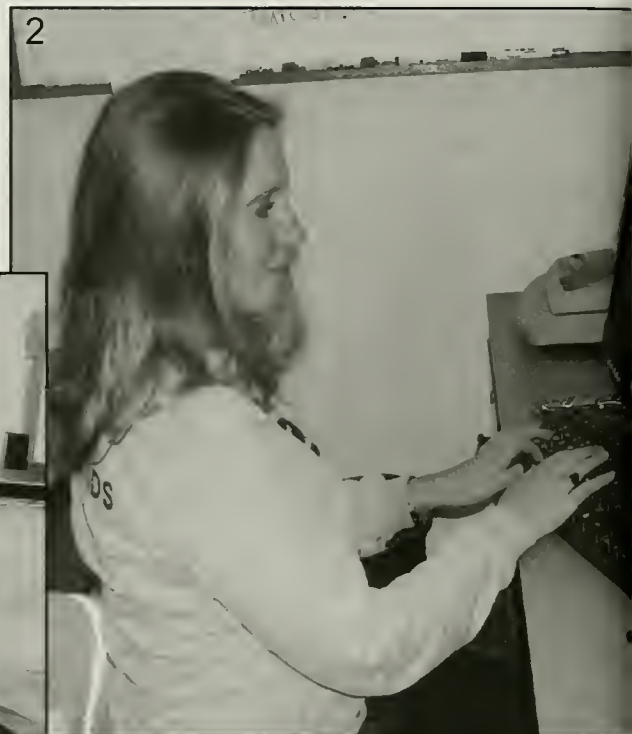
**Photography Editor:**

Jocelyn Maningo

**Sports Editor:**

Meredith Taylor

• **Purpose:** Produce a book of memories about the school year for the entire student body, which is given out FREE each fall.



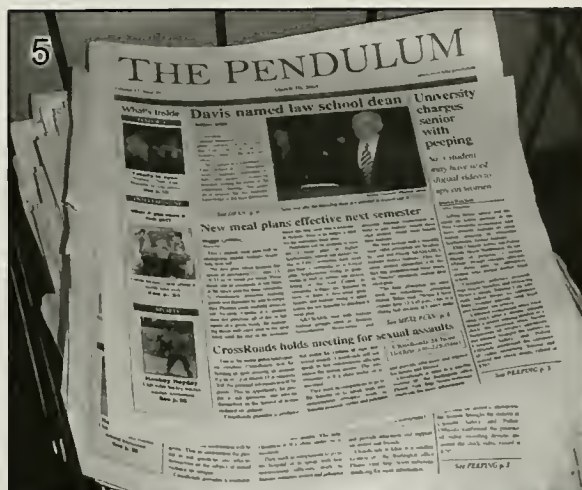
1. Thinking about her upcoming deadlines, Arts and Academics Editor Rikki Jackson fills out a photo request. 2. During her office hours, Editor in Chief Jennifer Heilman places copy and photos on a spread for an upcoming deadline. 3. After selecting a photo for her divider, People Editor Laura Eastes crops the photo. 4. Excited to see the 2003-2004 yearbooks, Sports Editor Meredith Taylor opens up the previous year's books before handing them out in September.

photos by Mary Cunningham

# The Pendulum: Newspaper



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



- **Editor in Chief:** Jessica Patchett
- Managing Editors:** Colin Donohue, Ellis Harman
- News Editors:** Ashley Feibish, Andrew High
- Opinions Editor:** KeiSaundra Henderson
- A & E Editor:** Kaitlyn North
- Features Editor:** Candace Buckman
- Sports Editor:** Mike Vivencio
- Photo Editor:** Jeff Heyer
- Graphics Editor:** Jocelyn Fern
- Copy Editors:** Leanne Jernigan, Sarah Moser, Elizabeth Tencer, and Laura Weisiger
- Business Manager:** Evelyn Massey
- Asst. Business Manager:** Jessica Kemp
- Sales Representatives:** Rachel Abott, Elizabeth Colquitt
- Online Editor:** Megan Turner
- Asst. Online Editors:** Eric Hydrick, Cassandra Srozinski
- **Purpose:** To perform, engage and entertain the Elon community through a weekly newspaper and a comprehensive online news site.
- **Size:** More than 100, including volunteers



5. The Pendulum is published every Thursday free to students and faculty.
6. Martha Page Ransdell works on an upcoming deadline for The Pendulum.



As soon as school started in the fall, many club sports teams

# Determined to Win

were practicing in order to get ready for the games.

## Women's Lacrosse



photo courtesy of Women's Lacrosse

- **President:**

Lynsey Capone

- **Vice President:**

Teresa Schirrippa

- **Secretary:** Page Bidez

**Treasurer:** Bailey Hannapel

- **Captains:** Besty Baker &

Jocelyn Fern

- **Size:** 25 members

- **Purpose:** To put out a competitive and enthusiastic team to compete in the Carolina Women's Lacrosse League.



1. With the ball so close to the net, members of both teams are very conscious of where it is.
2. While going for a loose ball, a member of the men's lacrosse team tries to prevent the other team from getting to the ball first.
3. After releasing the ball, teammates wait and hope it lands in the net.
4. Since the ball is thrown past the net, players must wait for the goalie to retrieve it.
5. On their side of the field, defensive members wait for the ball to come to their end.

## Women's Rugby

- **President:** Joycelyn Fern

- **Events:** Compete in tournaments including the West Chester and North Carolina State tournaments.





## Men's Lacrosse

- **President:** Jeff Duffy
- **Purpose:** Compete against other members of the SELC league including schools such as North Carolina State and Appalachian University.



photos courtesy of Men's Lacrosse



## Equestrian

- **Co-Presidents:** Rachel Smith & Allison Mordas
- Vice President:** Lindsay Pinkstaff
- Secretary:** Susanna Hearn
- Treasurer:** Robin Smith
- Hunt Jumper Captain:** Rebecca Summer
- Dressage Captain:** Ta Boyce
- **Size:** 40 members
- **Purpose:** To compete under intercollegiate riding as a Club Team as well as bringing good horsemanship and good sportsmanship to the members.



photo courtesy of Women's Rugby

by Mary Cunningham & Katie Nicholson



Although everyone loves to win, teams knew that

# Fun and Competition

even if they lost, they still had fun playing the game.

## Men's Rugby

- **President/Treasurer:** Sean White
- Vice President:** Chris Green
- **Size:** 35 members
- **Events:** Hosted their first annual Elon Rugby Rucktober Fest this year with NC State, Furman and Appalachian State.

## Roller Hockey



photo courtesy of Roller Hockey

- **President:** Ian Bond
- Vice President:** Jeff Alduk
- Treasurer:** Bill Stone
- Public Relations:** Tarn Jones & Ryan Raya
- Advisor:** Dr. Shortall
- **Size:** 30 members
- **Purpose:** To offer students the chance to play hockey, stay in shape and build friends.
- The team won the regional title.



## Baseball Club



photo courtesy of Baseball Club

- **President:** Rob Kiser
- **Events:** Elon's newest club sport which began competitive play in Fall 2004.

1. Stopping as many goals as possible is one way the goalie helped the team win the regional title. 2. Making sure the game is played fairly, the rugby referee watches the game. 3. After points are scored, members of the rugby team wait for the next play to start. 4. With a long game finally over, the team heads for the sidelines.



photos courtesy of Men's Rugby

## Swim

• **President:** Amy Estes

**Vice President:**

Kelly McDonald

**Treasurer:** Grant Cook

• **Size:** 20-30 swimmers

• **Purpose:** To promote swimming, have fun, compete, and improve technique swimming ability.

## Men's Soccer



photo by Jocelyn Maningo

• **President:** Dan Gross

**Vice President:**

Zachary Lauritzen

**Publicity:** Ben Wright

**Treasurer:** Aja Johnson

• **Size:** 30 members

• **Purpose:** Promote soccer throughout Elon's campus through practice and interscholastic competition.



# Governmental Gatherings

give students the opportunity to get politically active.

## Student Government Association



- **President:**

Chris Morse

**VP:** Shelby Peterson

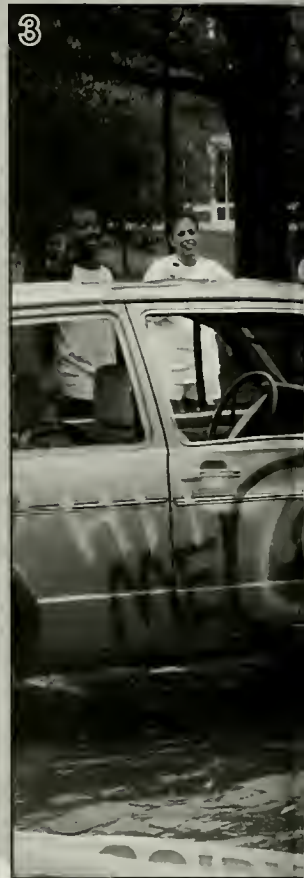
**Secretary:** Cheryl Borden

**Treasurer:** Bob Koons

- **Purpose:** To represent students and to hear their voices and opinions.

- **Events:** SGA hosts Homecoming, elections, the campus debate and constituents outreach events.

- **Size:** 60+ students.



## College Democrats

- **President:**

Meagan Green

- **VP:** Jason Senges

- **VP:** Brendan Gleason

- **Secretary:** Ashley Corum

- **Treasurer:** Brett Cooper

- **Convention Delegate:** Kelly McGuirk

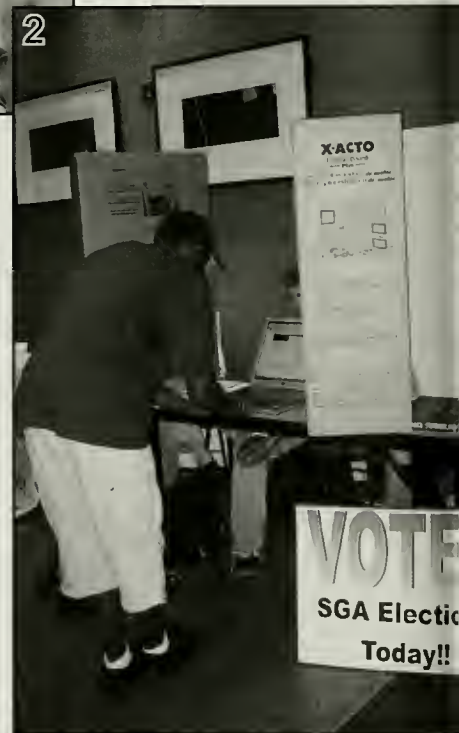
- **Purpose:** To support and disseminate the ideals and principles of the Democratic Party of the United States and promote civic knowledge and engagement.

- **Events:** The College Democrats hosts campaign drives, pro-Democratic candidate literature, publishes the "Elon Democrat" and show political movie screenings.

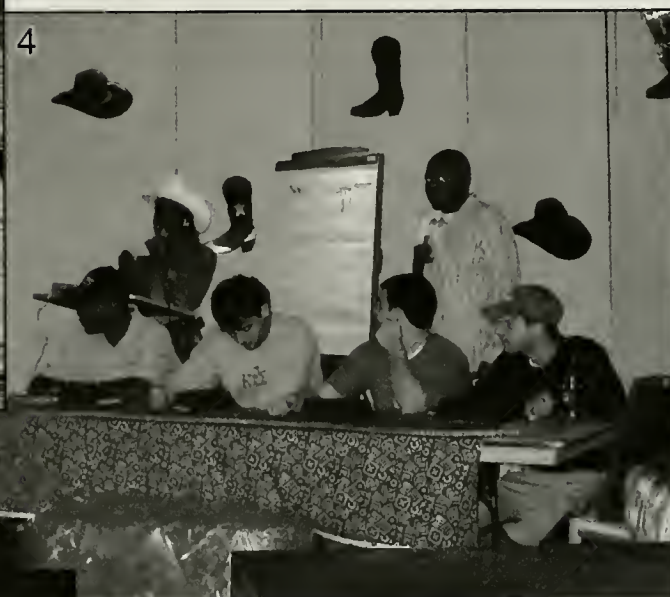
- **Size:** About 100 students.

1. Afraid of forgetting later, a student takes a few minutes to vote for his class officers. Though students could easily sit at any computer to vote in the SGA elections, SGA members sat in Moseley to encourage more people to vote.

2. Passing through Moseley, a student takes the opportunity to vote for his class officers in the SGA elections. Elections were held in early September.



photos by Jocelyn Maningo



3. Enjoying "Bash Em Up," Jon Chuk takes a sledgehammer to an old car. 4. Waiting for the next question, a team competes in the Homecoming quiz bowl. 5. Manning the table, an SGA member encourages passing students to participate in penny wars. The money raised in penny wars and "Bash 'Em Up" went toward the 2004 Homecoming philanthropy, Western Middle School.

photos by Jocelyn Maningo



Through a variety of organizations, students

# Staying in Touch

were able to keep in touch with their spirituality.

• **Co-Presidents:** Brandi Little & Baptist Student Union

Lacy Roberts

**Secretary/Missions**

**Coodinator:** Jennifer Carter

**Publicity:** Ben Wright

**Treasurer:** Aja Johnson

• **Purpose:** Described by Acts 2:42-They devoted themselves to the apostles' teachings and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.

• **Size:** 20-30 members

• **Events:** Ice cream parties, conferences, retreats and movie nights.



At a weekly BSU meeting, Hannah Osbourne and others gather and share a dinner together.



photos by Brittanie Schroyer

## Gospel Choir



photos by Jocelyn Maningo

• **President:** Mary Caruso

**VP:** Samantha McCoy

**Secretary:** Alisia Midgett

**Treasurer:** Jessica Hill

**Corresponding Secretary:** Ashleigh Palmer

**Publicist:** Aliana Harrison

**Historian:** Alana Black

**Chaplain:** Matthew Dodson

**Travel Coodinator:** Jennifer Smith

**Multimedia Specialists:** Pagan Moore

**Webmaster:** David Morrow

• **Purpose:** Uniting students who have a mutual interest in music and enhancing spirituality.

• **Size:** 40 members

• **Events:** Fall & spring concerts, choir tour, Gospel Extravaganza and singing at local churches.



## Fellowship of Christian Athletes



photos by Brittanie Schroyer

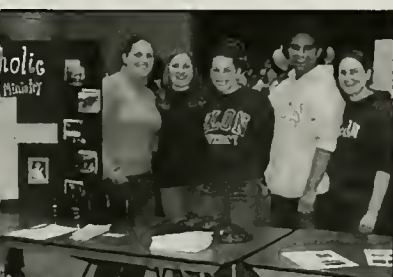
- **Head Servant:** Jane Bartley
- Assistant Servant:**  
Jess Swearengin
- Meeting Coordinator:**  
Bryan Jones
- Outreach Coordinator:**  
Niki Giacchina
- **Purpose:** Provide an atmosphere for growth with the student-athlete and their relationship with God.
- **Size:** 40 members
- **Events:** Speakers promoting spirituality and Christianity and service projects.

## Campus Outreach

- **President:** Adam Lust
- VP:** Kelsey Matthews
- **Purpose:** Help students learn about Jesus Christ & grow in their relationship with God.
- **Size:** 150 members and 25 leaders
- **Events:** 5th Quarter (gatherings after football games), New Year's Conference, Summer Beach Project in SC, mission trips to South Africa and retreats.

## Catholic Campus Ministry

- **President:** Derek Powers
- VP:** Julie Salvatore
- Secretary:** Diana Pulupa
- Treasurer:** Kelly Baytos
- Religious Life Council:**  
Jennifer Battis &  
Julie Salvatore
- **Purpose:** Giving Catholics a place to pray, worship, & learn through spiritual, service and social activities.
- **Events:** Sunday service, movie nights, fall beach retreat, learning trips, spring break service trip, trips to sports games, Stations of the Cross on Good Friday, Bible study and intramural sports.



photos courtesy of John Ruffo

1. In February, members of Christian Campus Ministry were at the spring Organization Fair to let students know all about their organization.
2. Since Shack-a-Thon was for a good cause, Jen Battis, Chris Featherstun, Julie Salvatore, Tim Trouche, Lisa Ronde and Beth Costy helped make CCM's shack.
3. This year's CCM Beach Retreat was held at Christian Family Living Center at North Topsail Beach.

by Katie Nicholson



With all the religious clubs, it's hard for

# Religious Gatherings

any student to feel as though they could not worship.

## Hillel

### • President:

Lauren Goodelman

### VP & Secretary:

Michelle Oelsner

**Treasurer:** Hanita Lessen

• **Purpose:** Promote Jewish student life on campus

• **Size:** 30-40 members

• **Events:** Shabbat dinners, attending holiday services, Family Weekend Shabbat dinner, bagel brunch the first Sunday of every month, build a Sukkah, Chanukkah party, Interfaith Passover Seder, and Holocaust Remembrance Day.



1. After donating a canned good, two friends try to decide which is the most appetizing cookie. 2. Part of Methodist Fellowship, Beth Sherron prepares the cookies before students arrive.

3. Appreciating that the Cookie Walk is held on reading day, students do not mind waiting in line for a late night sugar fix. 4. A fund raiser for Methodist Fellowship, Cookie Walk was a popular place to take a much need study break.

photos by Jocelyn Maringo

## Sigma Alpha Omega



photo by Jocelyn Maringo

- **President:** Lauren Finnessy
- VP:** Teresa Smith
- Secretary:** Chrissy Nelon
- Treasurer:** Leigh Ann Halverson
- **Purpose:** To have fellowship with other Christian women while growing in a relationship with God
- **Size:** about 30
- **Events:** Bake sale at Festival of the Oaks, rush, formal & semi-formal, service projects for the area and their philanthropy-Room at the Inn.



## Methodist Fellowship



photo by Jocelyn Maringo

- **President:** Ellen Whiteman
- Co-VP:** Matthew Christian & Beth Sherron
- **Purpose:** A place where anyone, not only Methodists, can come to meet other Christians and grow in their relationship with God.
- **Events:** Bible studies, home cooked meals from local churches, Cookie Walk before fall and Spring exams and spring retreat.



When students excelled in the classroom, they were

# Honorable Excellence

often eligible to join one of the many honor clubs.

## Omicron Delta Kappa

• **President:** Meredith Ota

**VP:** Brittany Brackett

**Secretary/Treasurer:**

Brandi Little

• **Purpose:** National Leadership Honor Society. Recognize and encourage superior scholarship, leadership and exemplary character. Open to juniors and seniors in the top 35% of their class.

• **Size:** 130 students & 30 faculty

• **Events:** Organize and run awards ceremony held in the spring.



1. On a nice, sunny day a student takes advantage of the warm weather by finding a shady place to study outside. 2. As summer draws closer it becomes harder for students to concentrate on their studies, but one student manages to compromise with herself by studying next to the fountain. 3. In between two classes, a student uses his time wisely and gets some reading for another class finished. 4. Hard work and concentration, like that of this student, are the tools that help make the grades necessary to be eligible for an honor society.

- **President:** Mallie Colavita
- **Purpose:** Phi Alpha Delta is a pre-law society that helps students who want to apply to law school determine which schools to look at and tips on the LSAT.

## Phi Alpha Delta



photo by Jocelyn Maningo



photos by Jocelyn Maningo



Learning is not just done in classrooms, academic clubs help students

# Outside the Classroom

expand their knowledge beyond the normal setting.

## Mock Trial Competition



- **President:** Will Warihay
- VP:** Lara Nicotra
- Treasurer:** Andrea Spaeth
- **Purpose:** To provide a cooperative atmosphere for the education of undergraduates in the normal procedures of the American legal system.
- **Size:** 14 members
- **Events:** Prepare a case to present for competition in tournaments including the College of Charleston Invitational, Campbell University Invitational and Regionals in Louisville, Kentucky.



1. After studying their witness characters and a convincing testimony, Kamal Jobe and Andrea Spaeth each win an award for being an Outstanding Witness. 2. In order to do well in tournaments, Mock Trial Team's two teams practiced and prepared cases. 3. After rehearsing as a team, team one asked team two for advice on their case. This knowledge and experience could help them in the real world. 4. Cinelon members set up equipment for their next scene.

## Model United Nations

• **President:** Lauren Newton

**VPs:** Naja Niemierko &  
Jessie Xiao

**Secretary:** Clark Riemer

**Treasurer:** Brett Cooper

• **Purpose:** To gain a better understanding of the role the United Nations has in international affairs.

• **Size:** 45 members

• **Events:** Sponsor the Freshman Global Experience Security Council Simulation each semester and travel to several conferences throughout the US to participate in various simulations.



photos courtesy of club



## Cinelon

• **President:**

Christopher Disher

**VP:** Bryan Kernodle

**Secretary:** Grace Dow

**Treasurer:** Trent Watts

• **Purpose:** Student Film Society. Students and staff can engage in an environment that provides active commentary on movie and filmmaking.

• **Size:** 40 members

• **Events:** Bring film related speakers to campus and host annual student film festival in the spring.



photo courtesy of club

by Mary Cunningham



As there are many different majors, there are also a variety of

# Academic Excellence

academic clubs to help students prepare for the "real world."

## Public Relations Student Society of America



- **Presidents:** Mariah Lietz
- VP:** Heather Minchello
- Treasurer:** Krissy Miller
- Public Relations Director:** Kamal Jobe
- Secretary:** Dorothy Cowan
- Historian:** Julie Salvatore
- Membership Services:** Stephanie Chanpimol
- Professional Development:** Mandi Todd
- Chapter Development:** Katie Hundt

- **Purpose:** To prepare students for the professional world through involvement in developmental activities with professionals and national competitions.

- **Size:** 68 members

- **Events:** Etiquette dinner, sponsoring basketball games, de-stress fest before exams, spring fling with professionals, networking opportunities, speakers, national and regional conferences, monthly chapter meetings and other social events.



photos courtesy of PRSSA



1. At a PRSSA meeting, Dr. Jessica Gisclair and Jim Allison talk to the group. 2. At De-stress Fest, PRSSA members visit the Relation Station to enjoy scented candles and massage chairs. 3. During a function, members of PRSSA sit around to chat about their winter break plans. 4. Around first semester finals, Dr. Jessica Gisclair, Dan Kulick, Mariah Lietz, Heather Minchello, Dorothy Cowan and Julia Smith make stress balls at PRSSA's De-stress Fest. 5. Since business parties and meetings are part of the real world, members of PRSSA dress up to attend an etiquette dinner to learn the proper things to do and not do. 6. Attending a New York City Conference, Katie Hundt, Julie Salvatore, Mariah Lietz and Heather Minchello take a break to soak up all the new information they have learned.

by Mary Cunningham



The Black Cultural Society, RSA, SUB & Intercultural Relations Club offered

# So Many Things

a multitude of different events for students to participate in.

## Intercultural Relations



photo courtesy of Intercultural Relations

- **President:** Raquel Corona
- VP:** Malvina Niemierko
- Secretary:** Asami Sudani
- Treasurer:** Esha Pabel
- **Purpose:** To raise cultural awareness throughout campus
- **Events:** Taste of the World, Chinese Movie Festival and help with country of the month.

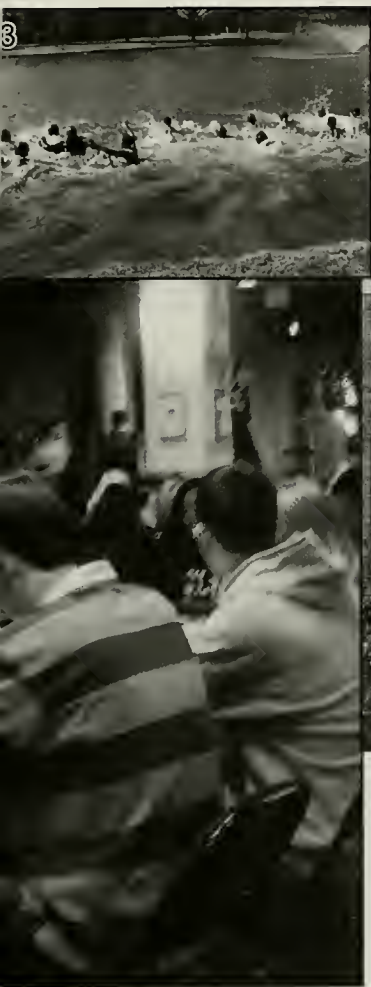


## Black Cultural Society



- **President:** Holly Monroe
- **Purpose:** To enhance unity, promote cultural achievements, support college and community African-American events, and provide a way for learning and teaching African-American culture.
- **Other:** Serves as the "root" organization of Elon's Finest NPHC and Gospel Choir.





photos by Jocelyn Maningo

1. Attempting to make an Elon "E," students wait for the right numbers before they shout "Bingo!" 2. Standing under Theo's Arch, a Phoenix Phind team crosses another item off their list. 3. In Lake Mary Nell, students participate in January's Polar Bear Plunge.

## Resident Student Association

• **President:** Katie Radcliffe

**VP:** Chris Hendricks

**Secretary:** Caitlin Kerr

**Treasurer:** Rhiannon Staub

**Campus Relations Chair:**

Amy Clark

**Programming Chair**

Stacey Bradbury

**Co-Programming Chair:**

Bonnie Brackett &

Lynn Cupero

**Publicity Chair:**

Dwyane Waite

**Web Chair:**

Daniel Khodaparast

• **Purpose:** To host events to create an active atmosphere on campus in order to give students more options on what they can do.

• **Events:** Phoenix Phind, Survival Bingo, JC block party, Chickin' Pickin', West Area Challenge Week, Make-A-Wish Celebration of Hope, Wannabee, Biltmore Estates, Rodeo and Polar Bear Plunge.



photos by Jocelyn Maningo

During the Black Cultural Society's holiday party, two members help decorate the Christmas tree. 5. During the Organization Fair, the Black Cultural Society sets up a table to try and attract new members.

## Spectrum

• **Co-Chairs:** Adam Smith & Kendra Foy

**Co-VPs:** Lori Cuadrado & Jonathan Chapman

• **Purpose:** Be a place of support for LGBT people, as well as provide education and promote awareness of LGBT issues in the Elon community and beyond.

• **Events:** Day of Silence, Coming Out All Over, movie nights, heterosexual appreciation night, NC Pride and National Coming Out Day.



Through music, dance and special events, Elon's Finest, Sweet Signatures,

# Talented Treasures

Twisted Measure and SUB lift spirit throughout the Elon community.

## Sweet Signatures

2



• **President:** Ellie Lightburn

**VP:** Virginia Galvez

**Treasurer:** Tara Dykes

**Co-Music Directors:** Lexy Apostolou, Lauren Redmond & Kristen Varvaris

• **Purpose:** To provide the Elon student body, staff and surrounding communities with entertainment.

• **Events:** Midnight Meals, SUB's SNL, Habitat's Spaghetti Dinner, Shack-a-thon, HabiFest, opened for SUB's Ben Lee concert, sang for the Education Majors Benefit Concert, the campus shop's grand re-opening, Orientation and Family Weekend, the Diverse Students of Science's Breast Cancer Awareness Social and ESTV's Straight Talk. Off campus, the Sigs have sung at Greensboro's Four Season's Mall, University of Mary Washington, UVA and more. Sweet Sigs were chosen to participate in SOJAM, a regional a cappella competition, and ICCA, an international competition.



photos courtesy of SUB



5. Before hypnotist Tom Deluca comes out, members of Twisted Measure entertain the crowd.

6. During a performance, a member of Twisted Measure and Leslie Price step up for their duet.

7. With background from the rest of the group, a member of Twisted Measure sings a solo.

## Student Union Board



- **President:** Steve Wagner
- VP:** Lindsey Wright
- Secretary:** Jamey Falkenberg
- Treasurer:** Zack Pund
- Music Performance Chair:**  
Jeannette Drake
- SNL Chairs:** Bevin Leshner &  
Anthony Warren
- Stage Performance Chair:**  
Raechel Hester
- Special Events Chair:**  
Samantha Drogoski
- Public Relations Chairs:**  
Ben Price & Justin Kafka

• **Purpose:** To provide programs which compliment, reflect and respond to the Elon Community.

• **Events:** Shane from *Road Rules*, wax hands, make your own frisbees, Ben Lee, Joe Caprice, movie runs, Kyle Cease, Poker Night, Exam Jam, Dan Kinno, Gavin DeGraw and performances at Midnight Meals.

During the Organization Fair in September, members Sweet Signatures try to recruit new members. Opening for SUB's Ben Lee concert, members of Sweet Signatures get the crowd pumped up. 3. Thanks to the SUB stage performance committee, Shane and drum talks to students about his experience on MTV's *Road Rules*. 4. As part of SUB's Exam Jam, students could receive a free massage.



photos courtesy of SUB

## Twisted Measure



photos courtesy of SUB

- **President:** Leslie Price
- VP & Music Director:**  
Brian Hecker
- Secretary:** Barrett Risley
- Treasurer:** Dave Parsons
- Business Director:**  
Taylor Barr

• **Purpose:** To bring all kinds of music to Elon's campus

• **Size:** 16 members

• **Events:** Sing at service events and for-profit areas all throughout the campus, community and East coast.

by Mary Cunningham







Holiday spirit leads students to come together. These two students worked together to decorate a door in the Mosely Center for holiday cheer.



“ It is the place where I will meet the friends  
I will have forever and make the memories  
I will remember forever. ”

-- Chris Miller

“ Elon is a community. Elon is composed  
of different people all united to accomplish  
their own path of education. ”

-- Clifton Johnson



# Naming

*the bubble*

The students at Elon had a lot to smile about. Every day on their way to class, students had somebody to say hello to. Faculty and students mingled on the brick sidewalks of Elon. The diverse faces of the bubble often met at the fountain, in Moseley Center and of course in the classroom. The small class sizes allowed students get to know each other, so when they would see a classmate on campus, they could say hello. There is a special bond that Elon students share. Although they are all different, they all have a love for Elon--the community, campus and even classes. All of the students who are here, choose to be here. Their smiling faces are the ultimate proof of their commitment to Elon.

By Laura Furr



Nothing but smiles! Two students could not help but smile as they received free homemade cookies during Elon's annual cookie walk.

Amy Cohen and Stevie Klover spend a special evening out. They spent their Valentine's Day dinner off-campus at Monterrey's.

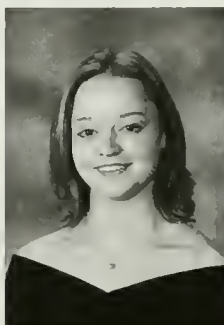


# Class of 2005

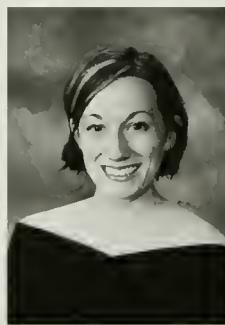
## Seniors



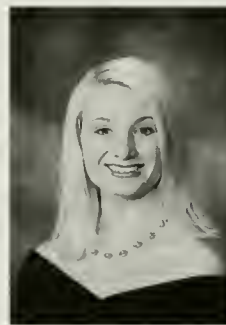
*Laith Al-Majali*



*Christine Allen*



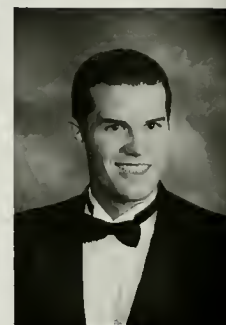
*Rose Allensworth*



*Robyn Baretincic*



*Jane Bartley*



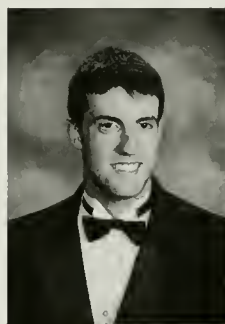
*Matthew Belanger*



*Megan Benham*



*James Bishop*



*Jason Boone*



*Caryn Borden*



*Cheryl Borden*



*Megan Borgaard*



*Stephen Brown*



*Ben Brundred*



*Briley Burris*



*Alicia Cambria*



*Charlene Carey*



*Jennifer Carman*



*Shannon Carmichael*



*Gregory Catalano*



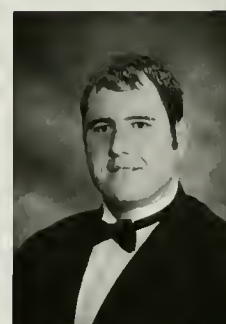
*Sarah Chickering*



*Laura Clapp*



*Danielle Concepcion*



*Robert Cooke*



Brett Cooper



James Cox



Matthew Crews



Lori Cuadrado



William Culp



Jennifer Davis



Sarah De Bock



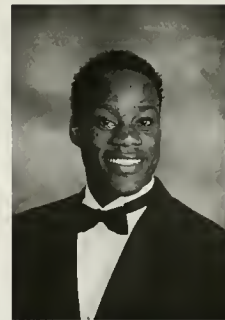
Rachel Della Valle



Jaclyn Deskin



Megan Dixon



Michael Dixon



Michelle Dowell



Christina Edwards



Rebecca Edwards



Sarah Farley



Brian Gill



Emily Goforth



Jennifer Gough

Since  
2001

*Oh, How The Years Go By  
Changes Seniors have Witnessed*

Big changes came to Elon in the year of 2001. The class of 2005 came into Elon as freshmen as new as the Elon University signs. On June 2001, Elon officially became a university. Elon was soon forced to place new signs. The campus shop experienced change with brand new merchandise showing new logos. Along with a new name came a stadium for the football team. Rhodes Stadium was opened to a crowd of football games in the fall of 2001. The football team took center stage that fall as well as the marching band. The Fire of the Carolinas came smashing back to campus after a twenty-year absence. More changes came into 2001 with campus dining. Cantina Roble opened its doors to students and faculty as a new dining choice. Down the street from Cantina Roble, The College Coffee shop replaced their signs. The College Coffee shop changed its name to The Acorn Coffee shop. Despite the name change, the food and service remained the same to students. Many other changes were made to the university in 2002, from campus activities to academic classes. Overall, students agreed that changes were made for the better.



# Oh, How The Years Go By



Jessica Graisser



Megan Green



Bobby Griffin



Allison Grimes



Lindsey Guice



Leigh Halverson



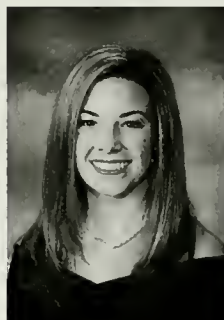
Becky Handforth



Tara Handren



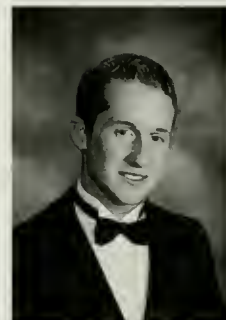
Jillian Harper



Courtney Harris



Kathryn Hempelmann



Philip Hendrich



Sara Hodges



Jennifer Holmes



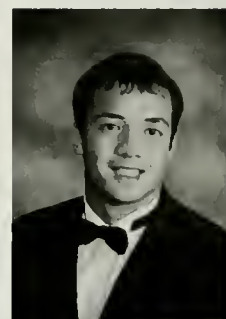
Gareth Hoskins



Jeffrey Houston



Shawn Howard



Joseph Hsu

## From 2002 to 2003

Many changes came to Elon in the school year of 2002. To begin, students were offered a new living choice and classroom availability in the Academic Village. The Honors Pavilion and the Isabella Cannon International Studies Pavilion were constructed and opened their doors in the fall of 2002. The Honors Pavilion housed Honors Fellows and provided new classrooms. The Isabella Cannon International Studies Pavilion was opened to International Studies

# Changes Seniors have Witnessed



Brooke Jacobs



Nadine Jacobs



William Jefferson, Jr.



Kristen Johnson



Carly Johnston



Gwyneth Jones



Jessica Jones



Christina Kane



Benjamin Keeney



Trevor Kelly



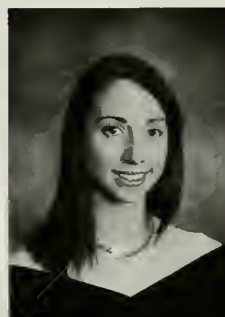
Jessica Kemp



Courtney Kennedy



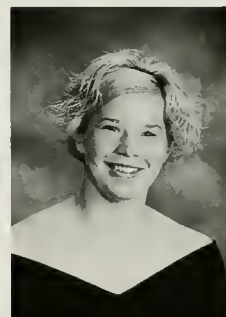
William Kevit



Jessica Kohn



Colleen Koski



Theresa Krawczyk



Daniel Kulick



Jennifer Lane

...ors as well as international students as a housing option. Besides Academic Village, Carlton, Alamance and Duke all received ke over's. Renovation plans included new floors, desks, computers d more. The North residence hall was removed. The loss of the l was no problem for Elon. North only housed 33 students and the dditional Academic Pavilion made up for the housing loss. Dining ctions grew with the addition of Freshens, the ice-cream and

smoothie area of Octagon in Moseley. Harden experienced changes with their new program Real Food On Campus. The purpose of the new program was to include more healthy choices for students. One of the only negative changes that was brought to campus was the price increase in laundry from 75 cents to \$1.00. Despite the laundry change, students and faculty were overall pleased with the changes in Elon.





Zachary Lauritzen



Jennifer Leary



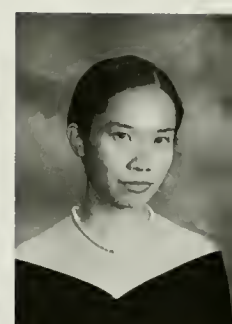
Ann Leonard



Mariah Lietz



Brandi Little



Maechiel Lluz



Katherine Maggio



Joseph Magyar



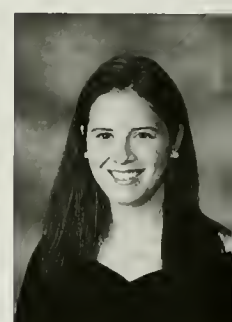
Jocelyn Maningo



Robert Markendorff



Bryan Miller



Meredith Moose



Chris Morse



Jason Nephew



Kathryn Newby



Russell Newman



Lauren Newton



Ryan Niccolls

# Changes in 2004

*The year of 2004 marked a big step for the Elon athletic programs. Once a member in the Big South, Elon now found itself the newest member of the Southern Conference. The conference change influenced other schools Elon would compete against. With the change in conference came a sweep of school spirit. For the men's basketball team, students flocked to the Nest with black T-shirts all in school spirit. In other changes, the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life received a \$1,000,000 donation. With the additional money, Religious Life was able to add services to students and expand their office. Other changes came in more organizations, academic classes and majors.*

# Moving into 2005

on kept expanding in the year of 2004. In the fall, The Vera Richardson Truitt Center for Religious and Spiritual Life opened. The house was donated to Elon University by Edna Truitt Nollens and her husband. The house became the office for the religious advisers as well as a meeting place for many religious life groups. The school continued to grow with the announcement of the School of Law by the Elon University Board of Trustees on October 29, 2004. Soon after, a decision was made for the headquarters of the

Elon School of Law to be in Greensboro. A few months later, the intramural fields were cleared in preparations for the building of the Koury Senior Business Center, and the new intramural fields are becoming green on South Campus. The center will house the Martha A. Love School of Business. The building is scheduled to open in the fall of 2007 with over 20 classrooms. Despite all the changes made during the time the class of 2005 was at Elon, many of the original traditions remain. The class of 2005 experienced convocation, SURF day, many intellectual speakers, Leo Lambert's holiday celebration, and last but not least, graduation.



Kendall Nicola



Kathleen Niple



Anne Pannell



Emily Perkins



Leslie Pritchett



Diana Pulupa



Angela Ragouzeos



Michael Ransom



Tonya Reese



Megan Reynold



Jamie Rittler



Lacy Roberts



Elliot Rushing



Lindsey Rushmore



David Schickert



Kathleen Schwartz



Carla Seay



Shannon Shaffer



# Congratulations



*Kristen Shirley*



*Kellen Sibley*



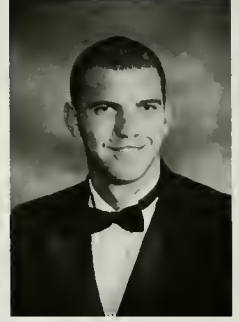
*Megan Siebert*



*Aisha Sims*



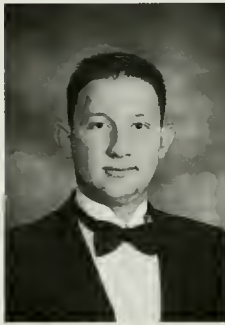
*Julia Smith*



*Justin Smith*



*Marcus Southerland*



*Matthew Spano*



*Mary Spear*



*Beth Stevenson*



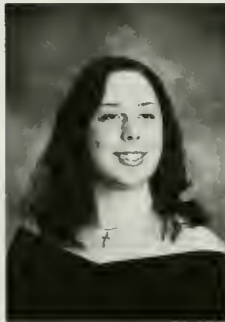
*David Stoughton*



*Kristen Swayze*



*Jennifer Tesno*



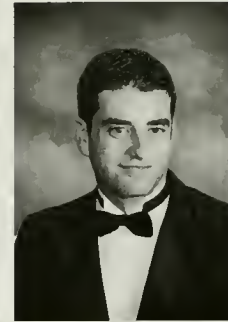
*Laura Thiedemann*



*Sarah Thomas*



*Lindsay Travis*



*Ernest Turtzo*



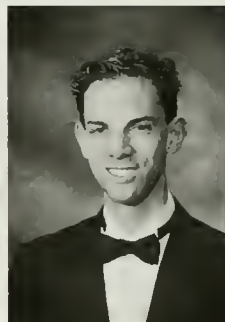
*Ashley Tyndall*



*Nicole Valenti*



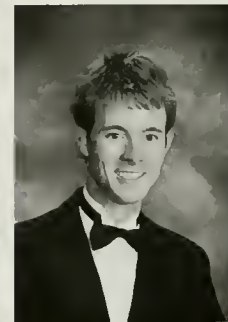
*Tara Vickers*



*Steve Wagner*



*Lynne Wedul*



*Eric Wellford*



*Brett Willi*



Brandon Williams



Laura Wollaston



Amanda Workman



Briana Yoho

# Class of 2005!

## *The Alma Mater*

Sons of Elon, daughters too,  
 Bring their praise and homage true.  
 In thy keeping there will be  
 Words and deeds to honor thee.  
 Harken to the song they're singing,  
 And the loyalty they're bringing.  
 Alma Mater, they will cherish thee;  
 Alma Mater, they will cherish thee.

Proud, the oak trees on thy hill  
 Offer shade and shadow still  
 Green the fields around thee lie;  
 Blue the Carolina sky.  
 Stately rise thy halls of learning,  
 Toward their portals we are turning.  
 Alma Mater, we will cherish thee;  
 Alma Mater, we will cherish thee.

Elon, ever lead us on  
 To a bright and happy dawn;  
 Teach us still to love and pray,  
 Guide us to a nobler day.  
 Joyous music lies before us,  
 Memories to swell the chorus.  
 Alma Mater, we will cherish thee;  
 Alma Mater, we will cherish thee.

Tune: Gaudeamus Igitur  
 Lyrics: William David Ellis

## *Elon Fight Song*

So here's to dear old Elon  
 Faithful and bold.  
 Here's to her banner  
 Of maroon and gold.  
 And here's to men and women,  
 Who've come and gone,  
 Singing the victor's song of old Elon

Lyrics: Mark Z. Rhodes



# Underclassmen

Latwoia Abbott  
Elizabeth Adcock  
Ricky Adkins  
Louis Aiello  
Elisabeth Akers



Jonathan Aleshire  
Peter Allen  
Charita Alston  
Sarah Arnn  
Andrea Attorri



Jessica Augustine  
Megan Backus  
Scott Barr  
Allison Barratt  
Megan Bartleson



Kelly Baytos  
Douglas Beasley  
Alexandra Bedran  
Ashley Bell  
Joanna Bell



Ashley Bennett  
Katherine Bent  
Allison Benton  
Alison Binnie  
Annie Binning





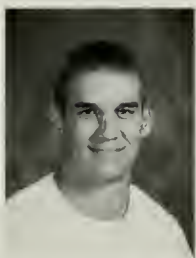
Ashley Black  
Danielle Blakely  
Daniel Boback  
Christopher Bohr  
Ryan Bonhardt



Megan Bonstein  
Mirai Booth-Ong  
Laura Bouvin  
Bonnie Brackett  
Stacey Bradbury



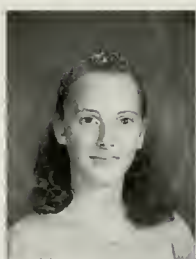
Sally Braeuer  
Damian Branch  
Amy Broadus  
Ingram Brooks  
Ashley Brown



Kristina Brown  
Timothy Brown  
Michael Bumbry  
Caitlin Burke  
Ashley Burrell



Ashley Busch  
Jenna Caprara  
Christina Caravella  
Chanel Caraway  
Sara Carbone



David Carrithers  
Michele Casey  
Marissa Cerrone  
Alexandra Chaytor

# Inside the Bubble



John Chiaramonti  
Geoffrey Childs  
Derek Chimner  
John Chism  
Matthew Christian



Jonathon Chuk  
Karen Clark  
Katherine Clemmons  
Alexia Clincy  
Jennifer Cloud



Allison Cody  
Merilyn Coffey  
Madison Cohen  
Matthew Cohen  
Nicholas Colvin



Stephanie Compton  
Khara Conlon  
Lyndsay Conroy  
Colleen Cooper  
Rachel Copeland



Hilary Corna  
Raquel Corona  
Tracy Corpening  
Devon Cosenza  
Kimberly Cote



Caleb Coulter  
Jordan Crabtree



## What Others Think of Elon?

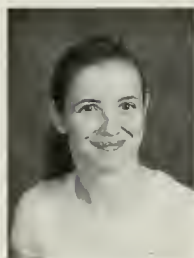
*U.S. News and World Report granted Elon with the title of being #6 among 131 master's level Southern Universities in their 2005 America's Best Colleges guide. This was the first time Elon had ever ranked so highly on the charts. In the 2004 addition, Elon appeared as an impressive ninth. U.S. News also included to rank Elon among their best in academic and student life programs, study abroad course, service learning opportunities, first year experiences, and learning communities.*



Joshua Crawford  
Kristen Crisara  
Nathan Criser  
Mary Cunningham  
Lynn Cupero



Ashley Davis  
Cameron Davis  
Patrick Davis  
Brittany Dawson  
Charish Dean



Montesia Deas  
Brian Delp  
Dominique Derbigny  
Lauren Destasio  
Rachel Dewitt



Emily Dillard  
Christopher Disher  
Kathryn Dixon  
Lisa Dodson  
Sarah Dollard



Katie Donovan  
Julia Dove  
Grace Dow  
Alana Dunn  
Melissa Dupre



Lauren Durr  
Laura Eastes

*The Princeton Review spotlighted Elon University in the 2004 in The Best 351 Colleges guide. In the guide, Elon received a third place ranking on the academic list whose "professors make themselves accessible to students." Elon also ranked second in the "beautiful campus" category. Elon was also featured in Jay Mathews, Harvard Schmarvard: Getting Beyond the Ivy League to the College That Is Best for You. In Matthews guide, he ranked Elon as first in the list of 100 outstanding but underappreciated colleges in March of 2003.*



Amelia Edwards  
Carolyn Edwards  
Annie Elliott  
James Falkenbury  
Jessica Falkner



Kathryn Fearing  
Frederick Ferris  
Carolyn Fiala  
Kathleen Filkins  
Joseph Fix



Kelci Flowers  
Elizabeth Foggie  
Clayton Foster  
Carson Foushee  
Whitney Foxworth



MacKenzie Fraser  
Ian Frazier  
Jessica Frizen  
Annah Fuellgraf  
Laura Furr



Gregory Galante  
Kathleen Gallagher  
Erryn Gallasch  
Anna Gardiner  
Joshua Garr



Eric Garren  
Justin Garren



## Elon 101: What's all the fuss about?

Many students tend not to share the same classes as those of other students and friends, but this is not the case for Elon 101. Elon 101 was a required course recommended to freshmen in their first semester at Elon. The class could be described as an introduction to college life and the academic community. Each class is taught by an academic adviser. With the academic adviser teaching the class, students were able to achieve a more personal relationship with their advisers. The adviser focuses on a different aspect of Elon each week. Topics include the Elon Honor Code, study abroad, Alcohol 101, Greek Life, community service, careers and so fourth. Time was also spent outside the classroom. Many Elon 101 classes met for dinners



Alexander Garrett  
Meredith Gay  
Emily Gentry  
Claire Gerdson  
Anna Gibson



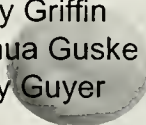
Samantha Gilman  
Caitlyn Glascock  
Kimberly Glazer  
David Gleeson  
Carson Glenn



Anna Glodowski  
Cassandra Glover  
Jenna Goldberg  
Christopher Goodman  
Katie Gordon



Calley Grace  
Elyse Granger  
Emily Griffin  
Joshua Guske  
Molly Guyer



Victoria Halfmann  
Kathryn Hall  
Sherita Hamilton  
Lorenz Hampf  
Karen Hancock



Bailey Hannapel  
Holly Hansen



*at local restaurants, formed intramural teams and enjoyed nights out on the town of Burlington together. The class was conducted letting students express their concerns or questions about Elon. Elon 101 met once a week and many students enjoyed the class. The purpose was to ease students into the college learning experience. When scheduling approached, Elon 101 focused on how to schedule and what was necessary to take. One-on-one with advisers helped students achieve the best pathway possible in their quest of a major. As first semester came to an end, students left their Elon 101 classes with confidence and braced Elon head on.*





Jennifer Harmon  
 Aliana Harrison  
 Jennie Harrison  
 Katherine Hart  
 Bradley Hartland



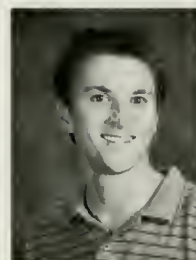
Karaline Hawkins  
 Whitney Hawkins  
 Katharine Hayes  
 Mary Hazlett  
 Jennifer Heilman



Jean Heinz  
 Stephanie Herbin  
 Ashley Hess  
 Steven Hicks  
 Jessica Hill



Jason Hiram  
 Colleen Holly  
 Matthew Holt  
 Susan Honeycutt  
 Brian Hooper



Catherine House  
 Monica Houseworth  
 Christopher Howard  
 Ashley Howell  
 Ian Hull



Laura Iannacone  
 Zsahleya Ibrahim



# Where Elon Students Call Home

*Students come from all over the world to study at Elon*

31%

*Were from the  
 state of North  
 Carolina*

69%

*Were from 47 states and  
 the District of Columbia*



Jaclyn Immordino  
Lauren Ireland  
Stephanie Jaeger  
Lisa Jennings  
Amy Johnson



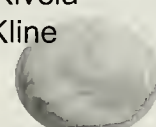
Clifton Johnson  
Katrina Johnson  
Bryan Jones  
Jared Jones  
Ryanne Jones



Elizabeth Joyce  
Christie Kelley  
Stephani Kelley  
Amber Kelso  
April Kemp



Kristen Kennedy  
Kadie Kersey  
Daniel Khodaparast  
Jennifer Kivela  
Cynthia Kline



Stephanie Kloeber  
Katherine Kolb  
Kirsten Kolb  
Amanda Koontz  
Raleigh Lancaster



Kristen Lankford  
Amy Lawrence



## International Students

*Some chose to study abroad, others chose to go to school abroad*

41

Countries are represented at Elon. Students come from Europe, Asia, South America, Central America, Africa, Australia and the Caribbean. Students on campus represented many countries like Japan, The United Kingdom, The Commonwealth of the Bahamas, Canada, Costa Rica, Haiti, Germany, Hondouraus, Sweden and many more. As Elon continued to expand, more and more international students called Elon home.



Ashley Lawson  
Natalie Layden  
Rebekah Lee  
Meredith Legin  
Adam Leonard



Abbey Lepley  
Bevin Leshner  
Allee Lichtenstein  
Carol Lilley  
Samuel Lindsey



Amanda Lipari  
Katherine Little  
Linwood Long  
Meredith Long  
Jennifer Lowers



Adam Lust  
Michelle MacConi  
Caitlin Magidson  
Amy Mahon  
Stephen Maier



Sarah Maloney  
Kali Marquardt  
Amy Marrion  
Ashley Marshall  
Catherine Marshall



Janell Martin  
Sarah Martin



## Oh, The Options Elon Majors

*At Elon University, students have many options for majors:*

*Accounting*

*Business Administration*

*Dance*

*Engineering*

*Art*

*Chemistry*

*Economics*

*Environmental Studies*

*General Studies*

*Athletic Training*

*Communications*

*Education*

*Exercise/Sport Science*

*Health Education*

*Biology*

*Computer Information Systems*

*English*

*French*

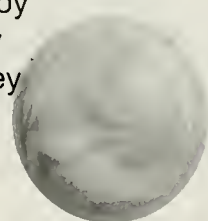
*History*



Stephanie Martz  
Catherine Mason  
Evelyn Massey  
Kelsey Mathews  
Stephanie McCaughey



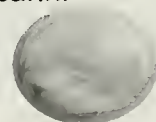
Sarah McCollum  
Samantha McCoy  
Stephen McCoy  
Katelyn McCulley  
Ellen McCully



Brian McElroy  
Katelyn McGuire  
Katelyn McKinley  
Jacquelyn McKinney  
Sarah McKinney



Ashley McLain  
Perry Medlin  
Theresa Mencarini  
Kyle Mercer  
Dana Meyer



Alisia Midgett  
Joshua Miller  
Nicole Miller  
Erin Millikin  
Cassandra Milosh



Sierra Moon  
Katherine Morris



Human Services  
International Studies  
Journalism  
Recreation/Sport Management  
Mathematics  
Music

Music Performance  
Music Education  
Music Theatre  
Physical Education  
Philosophy  
Physics

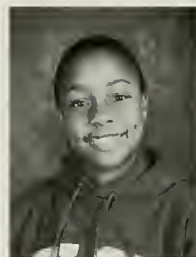
Political Science  
Psychology  
Public Administration  
Religious Studies  
Science Education  
Soc. Science Education

Sociology  
Sports Medicine:  
Athletic Training  
Sports Medicine:  
Exercise/ Sport Science  
Spanish

Theatre Arts (Acting)  
Theatre Studies  
Theatre Arts Design  
and Production



David Morrow  
 Scott Moshier  
 Sharifa Mtingwa  
 Anne Munson  
 Michelle Murphree



Michelle Murphy  
 Alicia Muzzi  
 Robin Newton  
 Kendra Nickel  
 Monica Nolden



Michael O'Connor  
 Lauren Offord  
 Ashley Oldham  
 Kathryn Olinger  
 Renee Overcash



Meghan Packer  
 Christine Pahl  
 Nicholas Palatiello  
 Ashleigh Palmer  
 Laura Parker



Lisa Parker  
 Sandra Parks  
 Esha Patel  
 Lauren Patton  
 Margaret Paulin



Benjamin Peacock  
 Molly Pearson



## Profile Of An Elon Class The Class of 2008

*Geographic Diversity:*

1. North Carolina 27%

2. Maryland 14%

3. Virginia 9%

4. Pennsylvania 6%

5. New Jersey 6%

6. Ohio 5%

7. Massachusetts 5%

8. Florida 4%

*Total States*

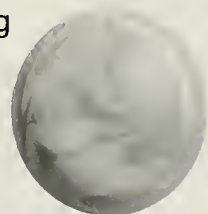
*represented: 37*



Darrick Penny  
Laura Peoples  
Shelby Peterson  
Hilaire Pickett  
Gregory Piel



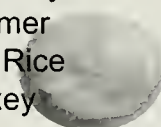
Lindsay Possiel  
Jason Pressberg  
Leslie Price  
Cara Pritchett  
Julie Putnam



Caitlan Pyden  
Katherine Radcliffe  
Danielle Ransdell  
Lauren Rappaport  
MacKenzie Rasch



Schuntel Reddock  
Charles Remy  
Sara Rhymer  
Elizabeth Rice  
Sarah Rixey



Morgan Robinson  
Amber Rockwell  
Christopher Rogers  
Janus Rogerson  
Kristen Romano



Marcus Royal  
Cameron Rudder



Total Applications: 8064  
Total Accepts: 3312  
Wait List Offered: 2876  
Freshman Enrollment: 32

High School GPA, mid  
50% range: 3.3-3.9  
SAT, mid 50% range:  
1100-1230  
Top Quartile: 1240-1510

Students with Class Rank:  
Top Decile: 25%  
Top Quartile: 59%  
Top Half: 91%  
Class Rank not reported:  
33%

Public/Private High  
School Ratio:  
80% public; 20% private  
Valedictorians: 10  
Male/Female Ratio: 37%  
men; 63% women

Ethnic Diversity:  
African American: 8%  
Asian: 1%  
Caucasian: 84%  
Hispanic: 2%  
Unknown/Other: 5%





David Runkle  
Whitney Rush  
Andrew Rushton  
Scott Russell  
Janice Sackey



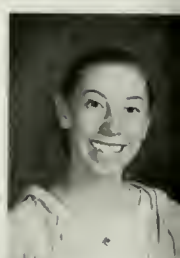
Theresa Salatto  
Matthew Sally  
Brett Samaha  
Cheryl Sanchez  
Paul Sanders



Alta Sands  
Margaret Santry  
Robert Saunders  
Valronica Scales  
Nicole Schaefer



Meredith Schechter  
Elizabeth Schiemann  
Anna Schimmelfing  
Teresa Schirrippa  
Rebecca Schrier



Brittanie Schroyer  
Sarah Schupp  
Leo Schwach  
Jessica Scott  
Lauren Scott



Jennifer Seeley  
Martin Sewell



# Inside the Bubble



Ashley Shelton  
Elizabeth Sherron  
Tara Sissom  
Crystal Slate  
Latoya Smalls



Daniel Smith  
Jennifer Smith  
Kristin Smith  
Lauren Smith  
Thomas Snow



Laura Somerville  
Katherine Southard  
David Springer  
Nicole Spurlock  
Ashley Stafford



Nikki Staggers  
Kristen Stahura  
Carroll Stevens  
Gordon Still  
Victoria Strange



Lindsay Sullivan  
Alexandra Swinimer  
Kellie Szabo  
Garrett Taft  
Loren Taylor



Meredith Taylor  
James Teagle



*People at Elon are always looking for ways to do things better.  
That kind of spirit inspires all of us to do our best every day."*  
*President Leo M. Lambert*



Jonathan Tellez  
Katherine Thomas  
Amy Thompson  
Julia Tiedt  
Michael Tilma



Jessica Tingle  
Aleshea Triplett  
Krysten Trull  
Jeremy Tuchman  
John Tumbleston



Nicholas Turner  
Justin Usle  
Katie Wareheim  
David Warfel  
Kimberly Warnke



Jamie Warnken  
Katherine Warnken  
Anthony Warren  
Kyle Warren  
Blake Watkins



Lauren Wattie  
Trent Watts  
Jessica Waugh  
Madeline Wear  
Samuel Webb



Ashley Weintraub  
Hillary Wells  
Alex Wernikoff  
Brian Wetzel  
Jamie Wheeler



Rachel Whidden  
Jeremy White  
Samantha Widmer  
Penelope Wilkinson  
Lynice Williams





Michelle Williamson  
Matthew Willis  
Aubrey Wilson  
Robert Wilson  
Erin Winterbottom



Daniel Wood  
Christopher Woods  
Kristin Wunker  
Jessica Young  
Raymond Yozwiak



Kathleen Zahran  
Steven Zaicko  
Amanda Zamzes



# Underclassmen



"Our dreams can come true, if we  
have the courage to pursue them."  
Walt Disney

"Education's purpose is to replace an  
empty mind with an open one."  
Malcolm S. Forbes

"Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a  
broken winged bird that cannot fly."  
Langston Hughes

"The future belongs to those who believe  
in the beauty of their dreams."  
Theodore Roosevelt

"Education is not the filling of a pail,  
but the lighting of a fire."  
William Butler Yeats

"Always bear in mind that your own resolution to  
succeed is more important than any other."  
Abraham Lincoln

"Be confident in the direction of your  
dreams. Live the life you've imagined."  
Henry David Thoreau

"In order to succeed, your desire for  
success should be greater than your fear  
of failure."  
Bill Cosby

"I stand for freedom of expression, doing what you  
believe in, and going after your dreams."  
Madonna



"May God bless you and guide and inspire you on the wonderful journey ahead. Long live Elon!"  
President Leo Lambert





Lacey Whitmer passes the ball to a teammate while playing against UNC-G. The final score of the game was 2-1 UNC-G.



photo by Alex Corey



“ Being able to pitch at Elon is a rewarding experience. I am grateful for being able to become a valuable member of the baseball team. ”

-- George Blystone

“ Working for the volleyball team has shown me how far a lot of hard work and a little faith can bring you, not to mention an amazing coach. ”

-- Ashley Bennett



# Breaking *the bubble*

An athlete is a person possessing the natural or acquired traits, such as strength, agility and endurance that are necessary for physical exercise or competitive sports. Athletes at Elon choose to play sports with one goal in mind: to win. Through intense practice and determination, students achieve victory and conquer their dreams. Whether it is traveling to other schools to compete, smashing a home run at a baseball game, or throwing a 30 yard pass at a football game to score the winning touchdown, athletes endure the impossible. By competing in sports, Elon athletes break out of the bubble and enhance their college experience.

by Meredith Taylor



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey

Emily Lucci sets the ball for Brooke Pickard's spike against the opposing team. Since joining the Southern Conference, the team has had the most wins this season.

Elon's offense carries the ball against Furman. Elon put up a fight against Furman's highly ranked team during the game.



# SACKS AND TACKLES

by Allee Lichtenstein

On September 18, the Phoenix beat Delaware State in the Family Weekend football game. With 49 points, the Phoenix made the most points in a single game in their past 16 games. With a commanding 36-point margin of victory, the Phoenix had an exciting win. Freshman quarterback Kye Hamilton completed 12 ariel attempts and threw his first two college touchdown passes. This game marked the end of a nine-game losing streak which extends back to last season.

On November 24, the Southern Conference Sports Media Association named its 2004 All-Southern Conference

football team. Included in this team were five Elon football players: senior center Brandon Mason, sophomore linebacker Chad Nkang, sophomore running back John Taylor, junior defensive back Dwayne Ijames and senior linebacker Calvin Sutton. Overall, the Elon football team won three games in their season. The wins were over Delaware State, Chattanooga and The Citadel. The season ended in a positive light with hope for a better season next year.

Kye Hamilton throws a pass to try to avoid a sack. The final score of the game was Elon: 7 and Western Carolina: 28.

Jamie Ownbey challenges a Furman player. Elon tried to hold off the #7 ranked Furman, but lost 0 to 10.



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey



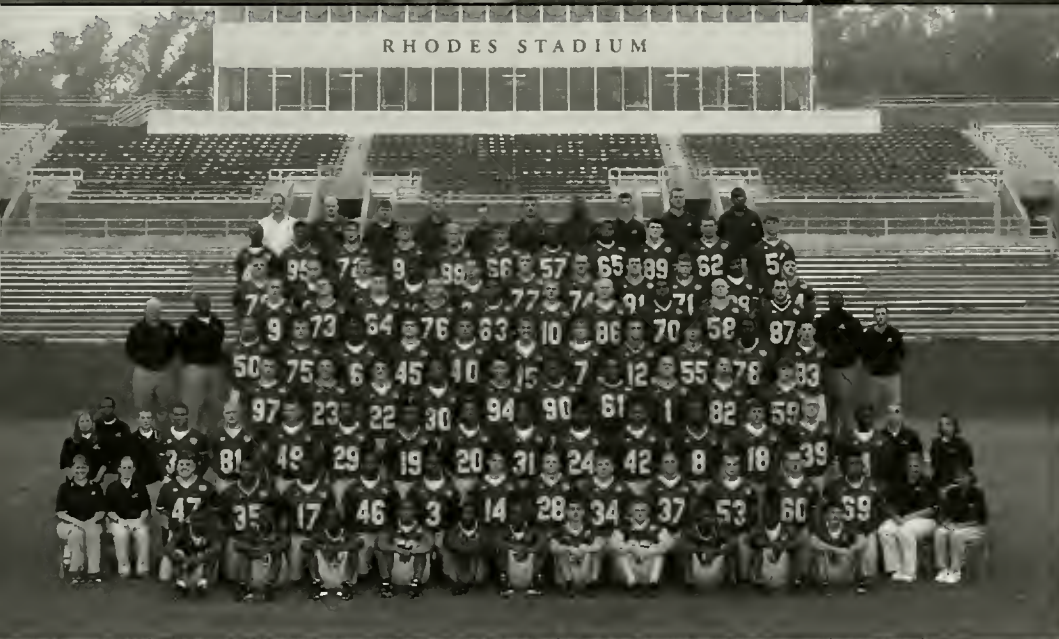


photo by Alex Corey

(alphabetical order): Stan Smith, Dwayne Ijames, Josh Crawford, Marcus Johnson, Jacobi Jones, Calvin Sutton, Danny Boback, Anthony Harris, Dan Brooks, Anthony Turowski, Anthony Crews, Cody Scoggins, Tripp Hursey, Kye Hamilton, Wes Pope, Daniel Barrow, James Murdaugh, Bradley Utz, Casey Hall, Kevin May, Allen Little, Todd Lindgren, Justin Cruze, Ronnie Dargan, Sean Lawson, T.J. Clegg, Nathan Trott, Michael Mayers, Chad Nkang, Antwan Rodgers, Reggie, Cameron Clay, Jarrett Meadors, Wesley Fulmore, Irvin Raglin, Chase Martin, Maunce Locklin, William Rawls, Robbie Goins, Todd Davey, Vincent Graves, John Gibbs, Mark Ewing, Lawrence Chetty, Mike Sheley, Jason Lotz, Mark Hetch, Anthony Barcel, Sidney Fitz-Coy, John Grimsley, Jamie Ownbey, Mike, Seth Norton, Demano Reid, Jesse Heller, Tim Applegate, Ruben Lawrence, Michael Patram, Michael Moody, Marty Redden, Charles Hairston, Nicholas Appbell, Hunter Jenks, B.W. Yates, Emerson Fazekas, Charles Porterfield, Craig Page, Brandon Mason, Bob Cooke, Michael Singleton, Zach Bevilacqua, Drew Weldon, Jimmy Hartstein, Derek Neal, Chantz Scott, Matt Kelleher, Kyle Belkoski, Desuan Lindsey, Mark Jetton, Brock Twigg, Marvin Price, Austin, Nathan, Andrew Wilcox, Travis Wetzel, Greg Abbott, Thomas Blair, Chns Bland, Austin Dobrowolski, Johnathan Hatch, Ryan Kinahan, Matt Madeo, Shayne, gan, Chns Myers, Steve Spartin, Justin Usle



photos by Alex Corey





photos by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey

**Front Row (L-R):** Kate Hanna, Vicki Robella, Kerry McCarron, Amy Cahill, Kara Zagol, Kaitlin Lannon, Kelly Constantino, Jessica Hartman, Greg Calone. **Middle Row (L-R):** Sam Eisen, Tina Longo, Kelly Knowles, Jenna Wheeler, Krista Naposki, Jaclyn Immordino, Ashley Condon, Alisa Petitt, Erin Gaeng, Megan McCollom. **Back Row (L-R):** Asst. Coach Breanna Jacinto, Obie Taylor, Kelly Williams, Meri Coffey, Emily Chesney, Lacey Whitmer, Shelley Stenzel, Monica Houseworth, Cheryl Sanchez, Gillian Murray, Head Coach Matt Clark.

# BURNING TURF

by Allee Lichtenstein

On October 17, the Phoenix had an exciting 1-0 Southern Conference win over East Tennessee State. The win ended an 11-game losing streak. The first half ended scoreless and even. However, during the second half, Monica Houseworth scored on a cross from Tina Longo and won the game for the Phoenix.

On October 24, the Phoenix beat Chattanooga 1-0. During the first half, Gillian Murray made a goal which was taken back after the referee said

Emily Chesney prepares to head the ball against a UNC-G opponent. The final score of the game was UNCG: 2 and Elon: 1.

she handled the ball wrong when the goalie was down. Gillian Murray made the winning goal in the second half when Jaclyn Immordino sent her a pass near the front of the goal. This game marked a third straight win for the Phoenix.

After a tough season, the Elon Women's Soccer Team finished seventh place in their 12-team league. This placement has earned them a spot in the Southern Conference Tournament. This will be the women's soccer team's first time competing in the tournament. The tournament will be taking place in Greensboro, NC.

photo by Alex Corey

Jaclyn Immordino defends the ball against a UNC-G opponent. Immordino was a key player in this game.

photo by Alex Corey



# SIZZLIN' KICKS

by Allee Lichtenstein

On September 15, 2004 the Elon Men's Soccer Team won their first game of the season against East Carolina. In a 2-1 game, Elon freshmen Douglas Boateng and Brett Paschall both scored. After 15 minutes, Boateng scored the first goal of the game from a break-away. Terry Amos of East Carolina scored a goal after 18 minutes of playing time to tie the game. After 39 more minutes, Paschall scored off a penalty kick-the game winning goal.

On November 9, Boateng and Junior Nombre were honored by making the Southern Conference All-Star team. The men's team ended in November during the first round of the

Southern Conference Men's Soccer Championship. Elon was beaten by the College of Charleston in a 1-0 win. At 27 minutes, College of Charleston's Hollingsworth scored after taking a pass from midfield.

Head Coach, Mike Reilly, is proud of each of his players. They made some huge accomplishments this season.

The team's ending season resulted in 4 wins and 11 losses. Overall the Men's soccer team had a good season.

Brett Paschall runs down the field to pass the ball. He successfully avoided the Furman opponent.

Fabyan Sax tries to head the ball past a Furman player. As a junior defender on the team, Sax was a key player this year.



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey

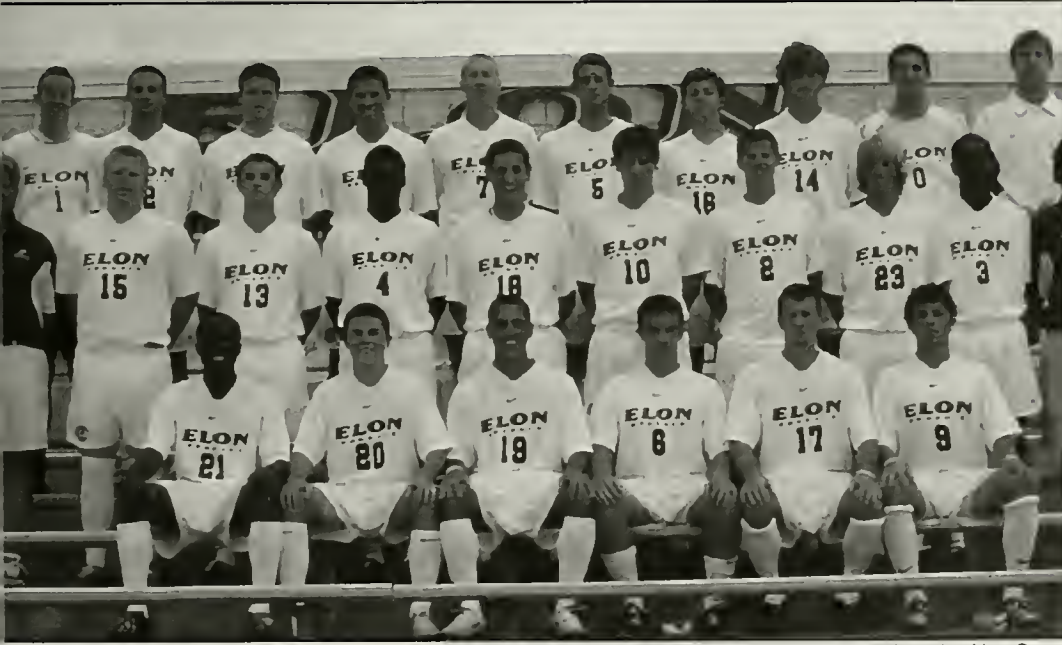


photo by Alex Corey

**Front Row (L-R):** Douglas Boateng, Ryan Bonhardt, John Romano, Blake Wertz, Andrew Johnson, Alexander Barake. **Middle Row (L-R):** Head Coach Mike Reilly, Hank Miller, Corey Wertz, Alexander Douyon, Gabe Loducca, Jonathan Litten, Tim Bengs, Jon Juchno, Junior Nombre, Student Asst. Coach Kyle Ostendorf. **Back Row (L-R):** Asst. Coach Dustin Fonder, Taylor Saxe, Anthony Catalano, Tim Sullivan, Brandon Hayes, Brennan Farrell, Fabyan Saxe, Eric Sass, Brett Paschall, Will Cash, Asst. Coach Ryan Ugard.



photos by Alex Corey





photos by Alex Corey



photo by Megan Donald

**Front Row (L-R):** Dominique Price, Susan Shore, Jessica Clendenning, Danielle Simmons, Angela Carlberg, Emily Schmitt. **Middle Row (L-R):** Sabrinna Faulkner, Allison Barberi, Grace Ilevbare, Alana Black, Kelly Chencharik, Julia Hicks, Brittany Boda, Lindsay Gonzalez, Courtney Tomaini, Jessica Hayden, Katelyn Ealer, Rochelle Reid. **Back Row (L-R):** Julie McGowan, Brittany Dawson, Morgan Zech, Amy Sulser, Alice Turner, Tara Mulcahy, Jenny Pearce, Megan Atkinson.



# BURNING RUBBER

by Lauren Sims

For the women's track and field team, this year was quite a successful one. The team traveled to different areas of North Carolina, competing in different relays and meets. They had an excellent season and many personal records were set. A lot of individuals broke school records as well.

In April, the team hosted the Elon Invitational, which a lot of fans were able to attend to support and cheer on the runners. This was the only regular season home

Amy Sulser leads a pack of runners during the mile. Amy was a valuable runner through the season.

competition and the only opportunity to show their fans how hard they had worked this season. The Elon Phoenix won eight out of nineteen titles during this meet.

Alice Turner set a record in the 400m hurdles, Angela Carlberg finished first in the shot put and the discus throw; Jessica Clendenning won the pole vault; Lindsay Gonzalez won the long jump; and Brittany Boda won the 100m hurdles. Overall, the Elon Invitational was a great success for all the athletes.

With another year complete and many accomplishments, the team finished with success and are proud of all they have done.



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey

The pole vault was a popular event during Elon's track and field meets. It takes a lot of power and energy to bend the pole in order to make it over the bar.



# EAGLES AND BIRDIES

by Tim Rink

"It was an up and down type of year for us," says Coach Bill Morningstar, now in his 31st year as men's golf coach, of the 2004-2005 season.

Despite an eighth place finish in the Southern Conference tournament, the men's golf team had successes at times.

The team won the GEICO Direct Invitational in March. They tied for second in two events, and took third in two others. Most impressively, the team finished in the top half of all but two of the tournament fields they were in.

Led by freshman Jimmy Lytle's 74.52 stroke per round average, the Phoenix beat 117 of the 166 teams that they

competed with this season.

Lytle and junior Bennett Smith led the team in rounds played this year, each teeing off 31 times during the season. Seniors Keith Orlen and James Hockman were also strong this season with 75.14 and 75.35 stroke averages, respectively. Orlen and Lytle tied for first twice during the season, and Lytle finished second out of 64 golfers at Seascape Golf Course in Kitty Hawk in late October.

Lytle was also named as October's Southern Conference Athlete of the month.

Kristin Tremoulis gets ready to putt. Putting was a skill the entire golf team practiced frequently throughout the season.

photo courtesy of Megan Donald



photo courtesy of Megan Donald

**Front Row (L-R):** Alison Mangini, Morgan Olds, Becky Poindexter, Samantha Widmer.  
**Back Row (L-R):** Kelly Baytos, Krista Bulow, Kristin Tremoulis.



photo courtesy of Megan Donald

**Front Row (L-R):** James Hockman, Jamie Cox, Justin Newton.

**Back Row (L-R):** Keith Orlen, Ben Smith, Louis Rittberger, Victor Galvani, Lance Johnson, Tommy Lytle.



photos courtesy of Megan Donald





photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Cor

(L-R): Emily Downing, Lindsay Reinhardt, Brooke Pickard, Kate Hart, Mary Kate Spear, Ashle Ruckert, Sarah Farley, Emily Lucci, Emily Hayes, Katie Newby, Melissa Melito, Julienna Gigo, Britany Westphal, and Natalie Moore.

# SPIKE TO SCORE

by Nancy Whitman

The Phoenix Volleyball team started off a little slow, but surged pass challenges and ended their season strong with a six game winning streak. They also posted the most wins since moving to the Southern Conference.

Returning seniors included outside hitter Sarah Farley, defensive specialist MK Spear, outside hitter Emily Hayes and Katie Newby. Fresh newcomer, Emily Lucci proved very valuable being named October's Verizon Wireless' Athlete of the month.

Emily Hayes gets ready to spike the ball. Melissa Melito and MK Spear prepare to back her up.

At the start of the season, the Phoenix had an exciting game against UNC Asheville, winning it in five games. They also took matches to five games against Furman, Western Carolina, Eastern Tennessee, Chattanooga and High Point. The team swept UNC Greensboro in three games each time they played them.

The team proved to be a strong one, as they finished second in the division and played hard at the Southern Conference tournament in November. They posted many records and wins to finish off a successful season.

photo by Alex Corey

Two Elon players prepare to return the ball against North Carolina A&T. Elon won the game 3 to 1.

photo by Alex Corey



# SWIFT FEET

by Meredith Taylor

The air is cold and everyone can see their breath. The runners do a few strides to get their heart rates up. Not only are they worried about what they ate for breakfast or if their shoes are tied tightly enough, but also what their time and place will be for the race. Cross country requires intense concentration and focus throughout every race.

Elon's men's and women's cross country teams had very successful seasons this year. Head coach of both teams, Jackie Sgambati, is proud of all her athletes. With four seniors this year, good leadership, and great incoming freshmen, cross country had

something to be proud of. The men finished eighth in the Southern Conference Championships. This was a great improvement from their pre-season rank of tenth. The women also advanced to a finish of seventh from an original rank of tenth as well.

Cross country may seem like an individual's race, but everyone's place counts. In the end, Elon is proud to finish as a team. The Phoenix runners should be proud of how they finished off the season and they look forward to next year.

John Tumbleston leads the men's cross country team. Staying together throughout the races was one of Elon's most important strategies.



photo courtesy of Megan Donald



photo courtesy of Megan Dor

**Front Row (L-R):** Grace Ilevbare, Casey Pike, Katelyn Ealer, Tara Mulcahy, Sarah Robinson, Amy Sulser, Meghan Atkinson. **Back Row (L-R):** Kaitlin Szulik, Alana Black, Kelly Chenchari, Becky Weaver, Caroline Corbyons, Kari Burger.





photo courtesy of Megan Donald

**Front Row (L-R):** Malcolm White, Eric Garren, Marc Therrien, Justin Garren, Brett Willi, John Humbleston. **Back Row (L-R):** Daniel Quinn, Adam Clontz, Adam Lindsey, Scott McNelis, Jamey Alkenbury, Matt McGuire



photos courtesy of Megan Donald



# CHEER TO HEAR

by Lauren Sims

The cheerleaders started off their season at Myrtle Beach just like the dance team. For a few weeks, they participated in a camp session which would have been longer if it weren't for the hurricane.

The cheerleading team grew this year as they added six new members, although they lost two veterans due to personal reasons. They began their season in August and have pulled off some extremely difficult and complex collegiate level stunts this year that they have not been able to do in past years.

Their coach Sandra Bays decided to stay with the cheerleading team after a hard decision about whether to con-

tinue her career. The team looks forward to working with the talented coach and what the future may bring.

This year they received positive responses from the administration, as well as tremendous support from the Elon community. The cheerleading team is in season from August until mid-March, as they train 4-6 days a week for seven months. Although it is intense mentally and physically, they love being able to bring school spirit and enthusiasm to Elon athletics.

The co-ed cheerleaders form a pyramid during their half-time show. The cheerleaders cheered the Phoenix on to beat Appalachian State 58 to 55 in the last ten seconds of the game.

photo courtesy of Felicia Massey



photo courtesy of Megan Donald

## All Female Cheerleading Team

Front Row (L-R): Laura Feller, Adrienne Coscia, Kim O'Neil, Erin Follett, Monique Simpson, Renee Evanetich.

Back Row (L-R): Ashley Brown, Caitlin Trapani, Kristin Smith, Kara Hawkins, Lauren Murphree, Joy Hartley.



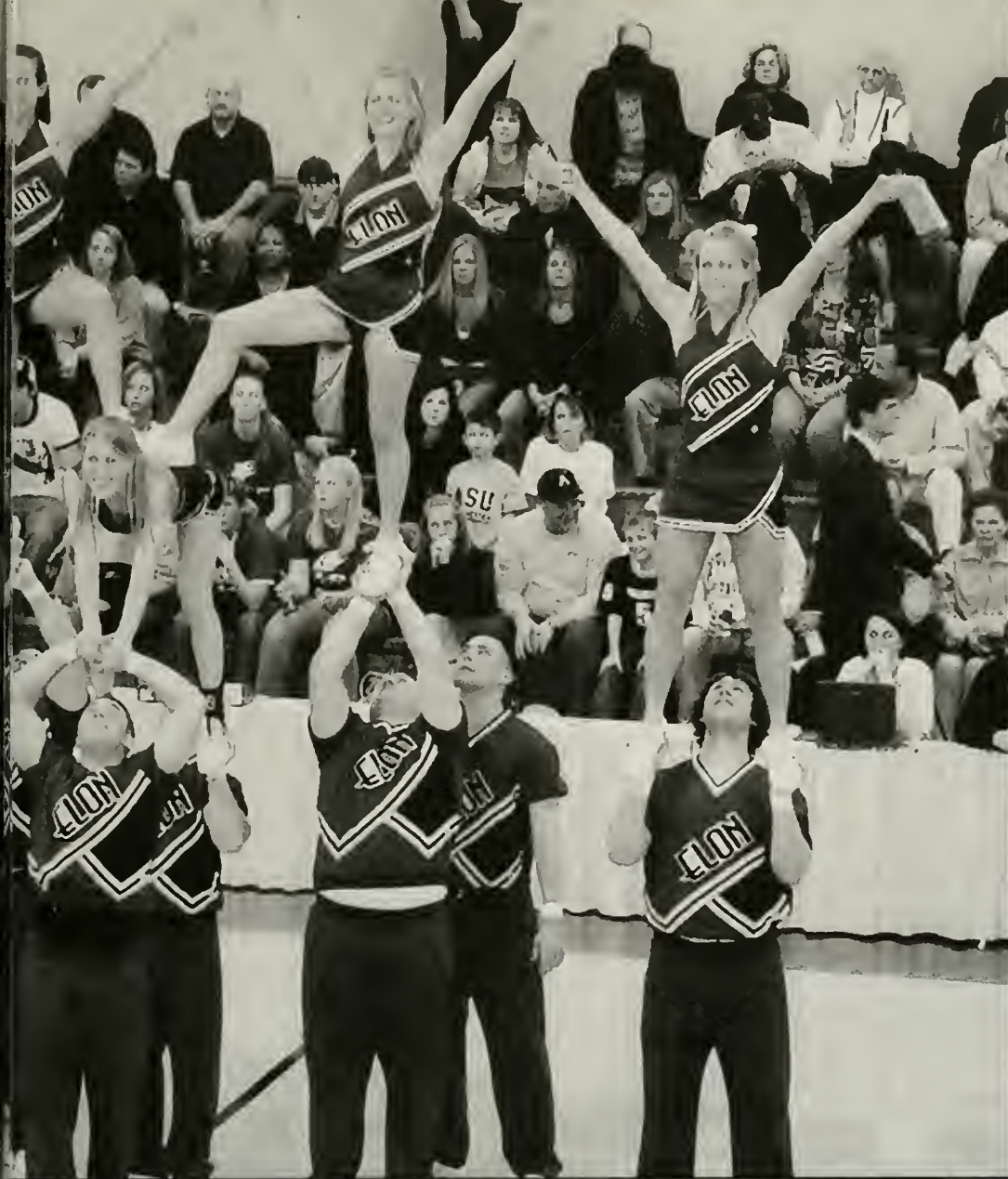


photo courtesy of Megan Donald

#### Co-ed Cheerleading Team

Front Row (L-R): Devon Cosenza, Danielle Ransdell, Karen Clancy, Melissa Taylor, Amber Adams, Catherine Colvard, Kadie Kersey, Kristin Souther.

Back Row (L-R): Greg Davis, John Sirabella, Jason Williams, Brian Fries, Damon Duncan, Scott Lynn, Geoff Childs, Brent Henderly, Sean Deakins, Mike Merritt.



photos courtesy of Felicia Massey



# DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY

by Lauren Sims

Elon's dance teams had a successful year cheering on the Phoenix. The Varsity Dance Team had two very strong teams: one that was designated to dance at the women's basketball games and another at the men's basketball games. This was the first year that the dance teams collaborated into one team during the football season in order to do the half-time show as one large group. In her last year at Elon, Head Coach Sandra Bays was able to guide the team through a positive season.

The dance teams also began their season in Myrtle Beach participating in a camp session for a few weeks like the cheerleaders.

Their season ended at the men's basketball Southern Conference Tournament.

It was a rebuilding year for the JV Dance Team, but the newcomers brought strong new talent which allowed them to come together through all their diverse backgrounds and form a strong multidimensional team. Next year shall be just as successful for all the teams, as the new members become veterans and continue to bring life and energy to Elon students as they come together to support Elon athletics.

The four seniors stop to take a quick photo during senior night. Courtney Harris, Amber Crouch, Christine Fego, and Krissy Miller were all an asset to the dance team this year.

photo courtesy of Felicia Massey



photo courtesy of Megan Donahue

## Gold Dance Team

Front Row (L-R): Kristin McAbee, Courtney Harris, Carolyn Donnee, Christine Fego, Amber Crouch, Krissy Miller.

Back Row (L-R): Caitlin Domenech, Kristen Payne, Shannon Guerard, Elizabeth Hacker, Ashley Shelton, Amanda Jones, Danielle Gaquin.

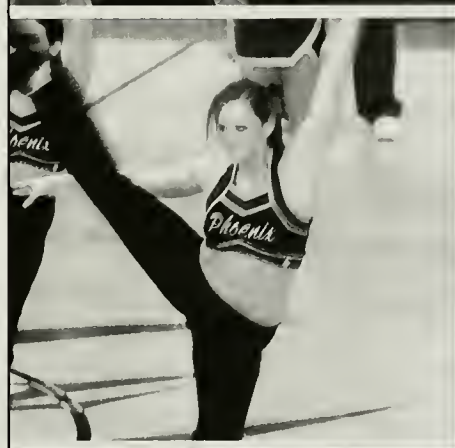


photo courtesy of Megan Donald

# Phoenix Dance Team

Front Row (L-R): Katie Gallagher, Rachel Sparrow, Caroline Grier, Breanna Hart.

Back Row (L-R): Kelli Fegers, Kristen Templin, Lauren Offord, Rachel Whidden.



photos courtesy of Felicia Massey



# NOTHIN' BUT NET

by Mike Demos

The Elon Phoenix Women's Basketball team concluded their 2004-2005 season with a tough 69-39 loss to the seventh seeded College of Charleston Cougars. While the 30-point loss in many ways summed up a very difficult season, the illusion that it may have created too many is not entirely true.

The fact is Coach Brenda Paul's squad was likely the youngest in America; whether you look at Division 1,2,3 NAIA or any other existing level of college basketball. This season the Phoenix trotted out nine freshmen on the court and they did take their lumps and growing pains along the way.

However in looking back at the season, there were many positives for this young team. High points included taking six-time defending conference championships UT-Chattanooga down to the final seconds of the game, and thrilling league wins over tough rival UNC-G and eventual Southern Conference Tournament Champion Western Carolina. These performances will no doubt serve as important building blocks to the future.

All in all, it should be an interesting off season and one in which the team looks to continue to improve.

Kitara McMoore shoots past an East Tennessee State opponent. The final score was Elon 58, East Tennessee 80.

Nicole Allison dribbles the ball down the court against Wofford. The Phoenix played a great game winning 66 to 43.





photo by Alex Corey

**Front Row (L-R):** Sarah Goldfarb, Aisha Ibrahim, Nicole Allison, Jessica Williams, Robyn Shipley, Jane Bartley, Tierra Bumbrey. **Middle Row (L-R):** Kitara McMoore, Shashonna Moore, Alexandra Chafrahek, Katie Whidden, Brianne Gray, Sade Jordan, Samantha McComas, Nikko King. **Back Row (L-R):** Associate Head Coach Ann Lashley, Asst. Coach Shelly Katkowski, Asst. Coach Lakisha Covington, Head Coach Brenda Paul, Maxine Williams, Rebecca Kuhn, Michele Hamilton.



photos by Alex Corey





photos by Alex Corey



photo courtesy of Megan Donato

**Front Row (L-R):** Manager Jim Cross, Ryan Jones, Brian Waters, Montell Watson, Scottie Rice, Steven Harvin, Matt Nowlin, Michael Brandon, Josh Haymond, Manager Gray Hunter. **Back Row (L-R):** Assistant Coach Mike Preston, Head Coach Ernie Nestor, Le'Vonn Jordon, Rasmi Gamble, Chris Porn, Jackson Atoyebi, Colin Wyatt, Chris Chalko, Simon Harris, Asst. Coach Joel Justus, Asst. Coach Jim Fitzpatrick.



# THE SCREEN

by Colin Donohue

There was no trickery, no misdirection, just one of the more fundamental plays in the game of basketball: the screen. "That's something we run when the (play) clock is down to 10 (seconds)," said Elon sophomore Chris Chalko. "It's just a pick, and I pop out and try to get some space. That's something we run all the time, probably more than anything else we run."

In fact, Appalachian State knew the exact play the Elon Men's Basketball Team would

Colin Wyatt shoots and scores! Elon played a great game against Western Carolina but ended up losing 49 to 54.

run. But the play Elon has run dozens of times before still managed to hold up. It didn't matter that the fans in attendance knew what was coming. It didn't even matter that the Mountaineers knew what was going to transpire.

Chalko, with four jammed fingers and less than eight seconds left in the game, sprung free beyond the arc off a screen, slid to his left slightly, caught a pass from Steven Harvin that narrowly missed being intercepted and drilled a 3-pointer to give Elon a 58-55 win against Appalachian State April 12 in front of a sell-out crowd of 1,561 in the team's last game of the season.

*This article first appeared in the Pendulum.*



Brian Waters goes for a lay-up against Wofford. The Phoenix beat Wofford in a close game by eight points.

photo courtesy of Felicia Massey



# KEEPING PACE

by Emily Schmitt

The Elon indoor track team was under a new coaching staff this year, headed by DeAnne Davis Brooks, who led the team to a very successful season. Several school records were broken along with many athletes setting personal records. Leading the team were co-captains senior Jessica Hayden and junior Sabrinna Faulker.

Elon's wide variety of athletes allowed them to shine in many events this season. Angela Carlberg continued her success in the shot put while Jessica Clendenning and Susan Shore challenged their competition in the pole vault. Lindsay Gonzalez added depth

to the 4x400m relay and also the long jump. A strong competitor in the 400m run was sophomore Alice Turner who set a school record this year of 57.85 seconds. Tara Mulcahy, a middle distance runner, improved her mile time to 5:32.09, not far from the school record.

The level of competition was taken to new heights this year with the incoming freshman class who proved themselves from the start and never lost sight of the goals they planned to achieve.

Alice Turner leads the 100m. She set a school record of a time of 12.52 seconds at the Elon Invitational.

Jessica Clendenning prepares to land after she pole vaults. Jessica was a key part of the team this season.



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey



photos by Alex Corey



# TOP SPIN AND WIN

by Jessica Waugh

The Elon University tennis teams aggressively took the court to fight for the Phoenix this year. The men's team is coached by Michael Leonard, and assisted by Bob Owens. The women's team is coached by Elizabeth Perry.

The teams included a variety of athletes from Virginia, Maine, Louisiana, Sweden, England and Thailand.

In the fall, members of the men's team, Pramote Malasitt and Austin Fenn, won the University of South Carolina Invitational A-2 Doubles Flight. For the women, both Evin Prelec and Molly Cade went undefeated at the East Carolina Tournament, and Kelly Fleck

won the Doubles Flight at the UNC-G Tournament.

This spring, the men's and women's teams traveled throughout North and South Carolina, as well as Virginia and Georgia.

With eight victories so far, the women's team holds a standing of 8-11 and the men's record is 5-15. Up next the teams will travel to the Southern Conference Tournament.

The tennis teams were extremely fortunate to have such great coaches this season.

Molly Cade was a huge influence being one of the two seniors on the team along with Diana Pulupa.

photos by Alex Corey



photo courtesy of Megan Dona

**Front Row (L-R):** Evin Prelec, Melissa Holland, Elizabeth Kernodle, Kelly Fleck, Alli Benton, Diana Pulupa, Molly Cade, Katie Nicholson, Eva Spangenberg, and Head Coach Elizabeth Perry.

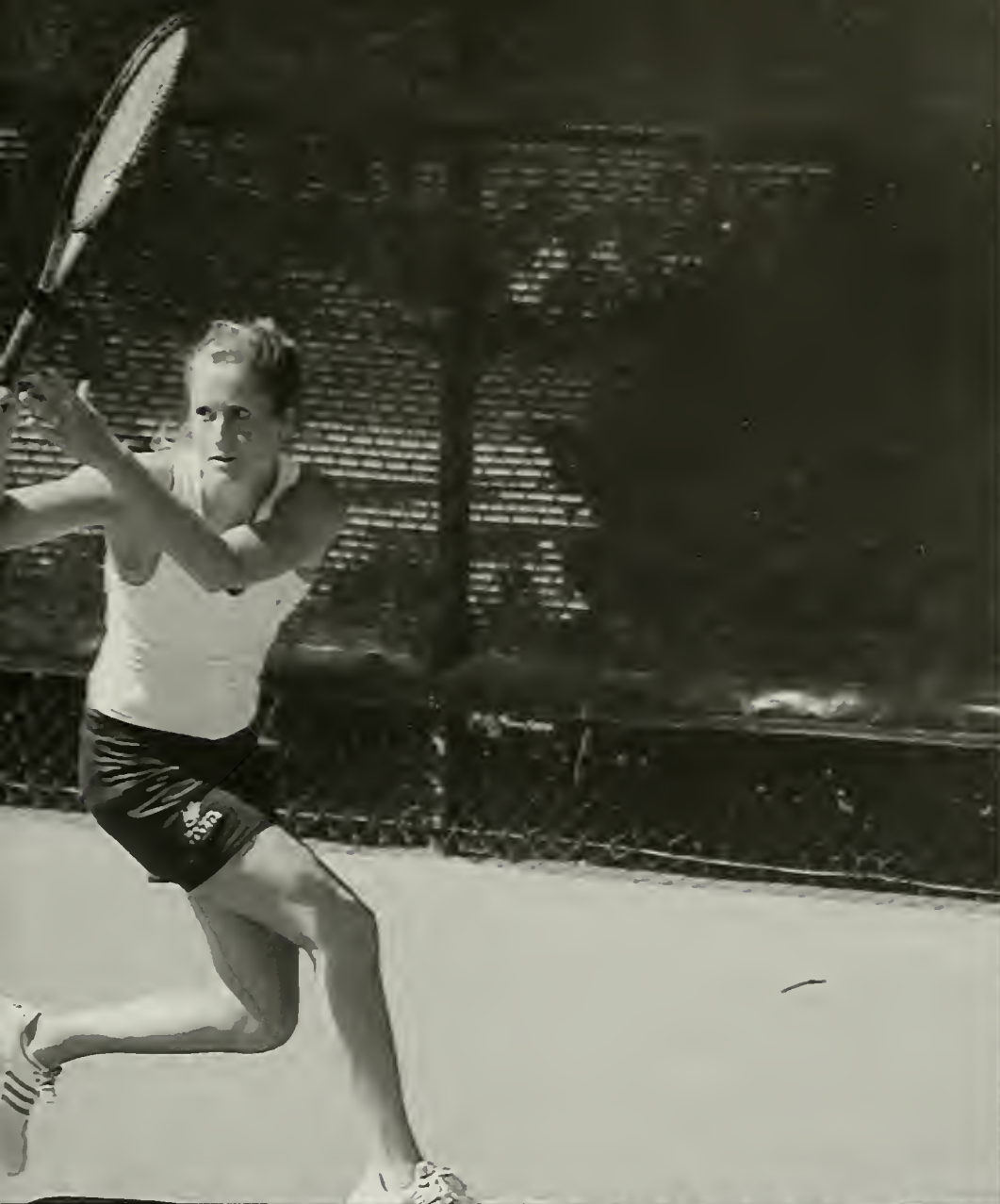


photo courtesy of Megan Donald

**Front Row (L-R):** Brian Edmundson, Assistant Coach Bob Owens, George Memory, Alex Garrett, Mike Smialek, Austin Fenn, John Garnett, Wilco Moggre, Pramote Malasitt, Head Coach Michael Leonard, and Sebastian Bredberg.



photos by Alex Corey





photos by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey

**Front Row (L-R):** Laurin Smith, Meredith Miley, Dani Concepcion, Paige Goss.  
**Middle Row (L-R):** Athletic Trainer Sue Stevens, Debbie Zeigler, Nicole Ellis, Megan Borgaard, Jessica Swearengen, Erica Ayala, Sadie Ball, Student Athletic Trainer Steve Storch.  
**Back Row (L-R):** Assistant Coach Stacey Lange, Samantha Schroeder, Carol Lilley, Natalie Layden, Casey Phillips, Meredith Gay, Tracey Dahlen, Whitney Meeks, Head Coach Patti Raduenz.

# FAST PITCHES

by Justin Hite

The softball team began the year young and inexperienced, with only four seniors on a team of 16 girls. Over the course of the year, the team saw many ups and downs, including a start of 7-4, but also a seven game losing streak. With big wins over Chattanooga, UNC-G, Georgia Southern and a sweep of NC State, the Phoenix were able to scrape their way to a 29-30 overall record and a 9-12 record in the conference during what could be thought of as a re-building year.

A player hits the ball and gets ready to run. Pitching the ball underhand in softball puts a different kind of speed on the ball.

The team was led by three All-Conference players. Senior outfielder Dani Concepcion and freshman utility player Debbie Zeigler both earned First Team All-Conference honors, and senior outfielder Megan Borgaard earned Second Team honors. Meredith Miley set a new school record for home runs in a season, hitting 11 during the 2005 campaign. Meredith Gay earned SoCon Pitcher of the Week honors as well.

The team hopes that with the young core of players already assembled they will be able to compete in the challenge for the conference title in the coming years.

Tracey Dahlen throws the ball to another teammate. The softball team worked hard on throwing and catching throughout the season.

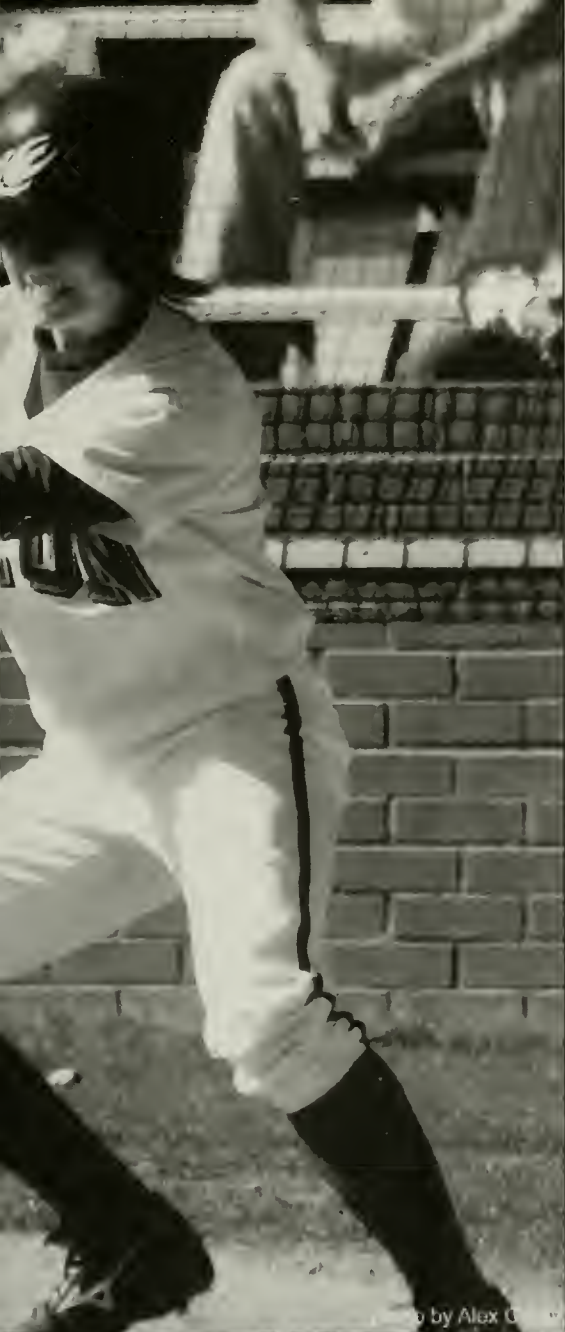


photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey



# BATTER UP

by Justin Hite

The Elon Phoenix baseball brought an array of offensive pressure and defensive excellence to the diamond of Latham Park. They were able to win big games over UNC-Chapel Hill and conference foes, Wofford and Davidson.

The season began with high expectations and a hopeful Southern Conference championship. However, soon after the start of the season, Grant Rembert, Pat Smith and Justin Weeks were hit hard with injuries. Key returnees Matt Stocco, Drew Davis and Evan Erickson knew they would need to step up and they did just that.

Senior second baseman Gary Morris was also named to

the All-Conference team. Since the start of the season, Morris has climbed the all-time lists in both hits and doubles. Davis was named to the watch list for the Johnny Bench award, which is given to the best defensive catcher, along with possible first round draft picks in the MLB draft. Prior to being injured, Grant Rembert received the NCBWA National Hitter of the Week in early February.

By May, the team's record was 28-19 and they were 15-9 in the Southern Conference.

Elon's baseball teammate slides to third base. The Phoenix played Furman and beat them in all three games.

Paul Bennett, a junior outfielder, focuses on hitting the ball. Bennett was a key player for the team this year.



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey



photo by Alex Corey

**Front Row (L-R):** Pat Smith, Drew Davis, Matt Link, Gary Morris, Brian Ebert, Patrick Adams, Chris Norwood, Kevin Pratt, Adam Weaver, Jesse Lewter, Austin Boehme.

**Middle Row (L-R):** Kevin Regan, Ryan Radford, Chris Price, Matt Chastain, Kory Radford, Paul Bennett, Danny Miller, John Walker, Chris DeFago, George Blystone, Justin Bors.

**Back Row (L-R):** Grant Rembert, Matt Hill, Chad Tilley, Matt McSwain, Pedro Lopez, Justin Weeks, Chris Bland, Chris Vasami, Lance Cole, Stuart Bost, Ryan Basham, Evan Erickson.



photos by Alex Corey





photo by Jennifer Heilman

Mother and son embrace moments before he walks across the stage to receive his diploma. Parents eagerly waited at the side of the stage to snap a photo.

“ You raise me up, so I can stand on mountains;  
You raise me up, to walk on stormy seas;  
I am strong, when I am on your shoulders;  
You raise me up...to all that I can be. ”

-- Kim O'Neil, Senior Class President

# Remembering

*the bubble*

Long Live Elon! President Leo M. Lambert bid farewell to the 115th graduating class on Saturday,

May 21st. The seniors returned to the oaks to receive their oak tree sapling, a great symbol of Elon. Students sat and reflected on their college years with their friends, parents and professors surrounding them. The Class of 2005 was the first class to cheer on the Phoenix instead of the Fighting Christians. They watched each other grow as the school grew with them. Graduation is a bittersweet time—finally getting to see what life has in store, but leaving the college years behind. President Lambert encouraged students to take the memory of Elon with them and to never forget the invaluable lessons they have learned. The Class of 2005 will spread out around the nation and the world, but they will always have a home in central North Carolina.

by Lisa Parker



photo by Felicia Massey



photo by Jennifer Heilman

President Leo M. Lambert congratulates the Class of 2005 in Jordan Gym. Graduates assembled in Jordan Gym to process to Commencement.

A beautiful ice sculpture commemorating the Class of 2005 adorns Scott Plaza. Graduates and their families enjoyed a continental breakfast early Saturday morning.



# Long Live Elon!

Graduates enter the world as symbols of light and knowledge

by Jennifer Heilman

Preparation for the 115th Commencement exercises Under the Oaks began May 16th as workers were busy constructing the site. Workers constructed the stage and placed more than 10,000 chairs for the ceremony. Final touches were completed by May 18th and platform party practice took place later in the week.

With threatening thunderstorms Thursday evening, the Farewell Picnic for seniors and their families was moved from Lake Mary Nell to Harden Dining Hall. Guests began arriving well before 6 p.m. to feast on a menu of hamburgers, hotdogs and salads. Senior class



photo by Jennifer Heilman

Seniors register at the entrance of Harden Dining Hall and receive their I.D. bracelets. The Farewell Picnic allowed seniors to socialize with one another and their families.

Although more than 10,000 chairs were placed for Commencement exercises on Saturday, many families and friends were left standing. Approximately 975 graduates received degrees.

president, Kim O'Neil, presented President Leo M. Lambert with a check for \$5,623 to go to the Senior Class Scholarship.

Baccalaureate services were held Friday afternoon in Koury Center. Rabbi David Sapperstein, director of the Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism in Washington, D.C. gave the sermon.

Elon Fellows graduates were also recognized during "Leaders for the 21st Century" held Friday evening. Fellows were honored in McCrary Theatre.



continued on page 169





photo by Jennifer Heilman



photo by Jennifer Heilman

Rabbi David Sapperstein poses with senior graduates before Baccalaureate. Sapperstein encouraged graduates to take an active role in their communities.





photo by Felicia Massey

Commencement speaker Jeanne Swanner Robertson speaks to graduates before the ceremony. During her Commencement address, Robertson reminded students that they didn't end up with a prince for their graduation speaker, but a "queen."

Psychology graduate Ada Adele Arbuckle walks off-stage with her diploma in hand. The excitement and anticipation of graduates could be seen in their smiles and laughter as they processed back to their seats.



photo by Jennifer Heilman





photo by Jennifer Heilman



photo by Jennifer Heilman

Communications and Political Science graduate Dan Hanson smiles at his friends as he prepares to walk across stage. Family and friends with signs and noise makers could be heard cheering on graduates as they received their diploma.

Waiting to process with the university faculty, Communications professors Kelli Burns and Janna Anderson converse with one another. Senior class president Kimberly O'Neil thanked faculty for their challenges and their active role in the graduates' college careers.

## Long Live Elon!

continued from page 166

After a long night cooled by summer thunderstorms, the sun rose over the horizon on Saturday, May 21st as the Class of 2005 prepared to bid farewell to Elon. By 9 a.m., the 975 graduates transformed Jordan Gym into a solid color of maroon as they reluctantly made their way to their seats and awaited a sneak preview of the Commencement speaker.

Students began to double-file out of the gym moments before 9:30 a.m. They followed the sun lit path to Under the Oaks where they would soon move their tassel to the right side of their cap as they received their degrees.

Assistant Chaplain Katharine Colussy-Estes opened the ceremony with a prayer, followed by the singing of the National Anthem and a Message of Appreciation from senior class president Kimberly O'Neil.

Commencement speaker Jeanne Swanner Robertson, an Elon trustee and professional speaker, delivered a humorous Commencement address. Robertson challenged graduates to remember one thing about her speech: "Make it a priority to find humor in your day...and you will reap the benefits."

Graduates then processed across the stage to receive their diploma from President Leo M. Lambert. The 115th Commencement exercises concluded with the Alma Mater led by John Robert Kernodle III and President Lambert's famous words---Long Live Elon!



# Elon University



*Julie Akers*



*Laith Al-Majali*



*Ralph Alfieri*



*Christine Allen*



*Jennifer Archer*



*Alex Ash*



*Kimberfy Baer*



*Robyn Baretincic*



*Matthew Beadnell*



*Erin Beam*



*Amy Benjamin*



*Gillian Beres*



*Todd Biggs*



*Caryn Borden*



*Cheryl Borden*

# Class of 2005



*Megan Borgaard*



*Ledley Boyce*



*Lindsay Brennan*



*Ben Brundred*



*Candace Buckman*



*Valerie Budischak*



*John Burns*



*Briley Burris*



*Danielle Buynak*



*Margaret Cabanis-Wicht*



*Natalie Cain*



*Matthew Campbell*



*Rachael Campbell*



*Charlene Carey*



*Jennifer Carman*





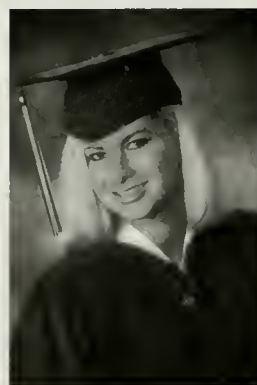
*Shannon Carmichael Stephanie Chanpimol William Cleveland Sarah Clifford MacKenzie Cogan*



*Lorraine Collier Jennifer Collins Robert Cooke Brett Cooper Kendra Cooper*



*Emily Costello James Cox Iv Matthew Crews Amber Crouch Robert Crouch*



*David Crowder Amanda Cully Jeannemarie Davis Valentina De Matteo Victoria De Matteo*



*Michael Deal*

*Kimberly Delp*

*Christina Di Biagio*

*Michael Dixon*

*Colin Donohue*



*Michelle Dowell*

*Sheena Earl*

*Ann Early*

*Diana Eaton*

*Rebecca Edwards*



*Thomas Elchenko*

*Nathan Ergmann*

*Christine Fego*

*Daniel Feliciano*

*Lauren Finnessy*



*Amanda Fish*

*Andrew Fitzgerald*

*Erin Flynn*

*Kerry Foxx*

*A. Freeman*





*Thomas Fulmore*



*William Gambill*



*John Gattulli*



*Michael Gerrity*



*Brian Giff*



*Kellie Glatsky*



*Brendan Gleason*



*Emily Goforth*



*Erin Gorman*



*Jason Goss*



*James Graham*



*Alison Gray*



*Emily Gray*



*Megan Green*



*Allison Grimes*



*Julia Grubb*



*Daniel Halpin*



*Michele Hamilton*



*Courtney Harris*



*John Harris*



*Kristen Hatfield*



*Jessica Hayden*



*Stacy Helms*



*Kathryn Hempelmann*



*Philip Hendrich*



*Chandra Hicks*



*Michael Hodges*



*Sara Hodges*



*Morgan Hodgman*



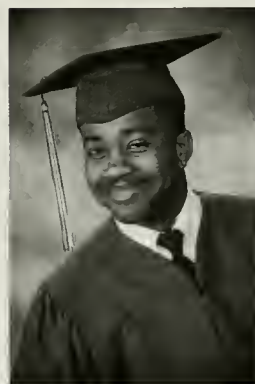
*Philip Hollingsworth*



*Jeffrey Houston*



*Lauren Howard*



*Shawn Howard*



*Craig Huska*



*Julie Irving*



*Caitlin Jacobs*



*Nadine Jacobs*



*Robert Jacques*



*Amy Jo Jenkins*



*Marcus Johnson*





*Carly Johnston*



*Gwyneth Jones*



*Jessica Jones*



*Tarn Jones*



*Christina Kane*



*Emily Karr*



*Heather Kauderer*



*Benjamin Keeney*



*Brian Kellaway*



*Shane Kelly*



*Timothy Kelly*



*Jessica Kemp*



*Megan Kenny*



*Gregory Kerpinski*



*Jennifer King*



*Amanda Kloer*



*Daniel Kulick*



*Jennifer Lane*



*Ann Marie Leonard*



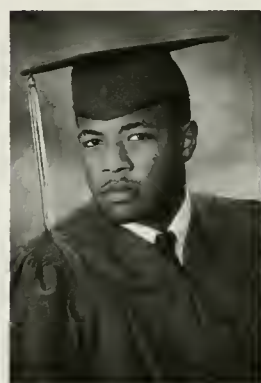
*Sarah Lessels*



*Thomas Lindsay Christopher Litchfield Marc Lubinski-Steele Matthew Lupfer Courtney Lynch*



*Nadine Madadha Joseph Magyar Jocelyn Maningo Christie Mann Lindsey Marano*



*Shannon Marsteller Lindsay Martin Jessica Masser David McCallum Richard McGruder*



*Matthew McGuire Benjamin McMillan Rachel McNally Peter McNamara Darris Means*





*Meredith Miley*



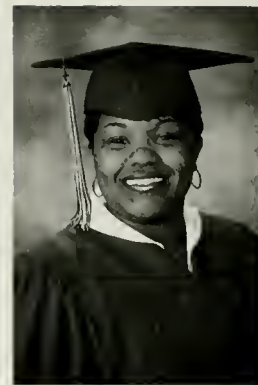
*Bryan Miller*



*Heather Minchello*



*Jennifer Mira*



*Hollye Monroe*



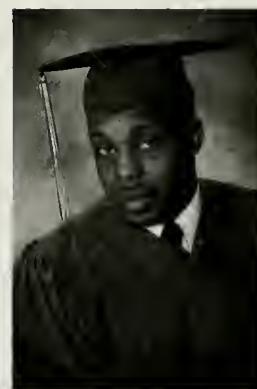
*Michelle Moody*



*Meghan Morgan*



*Jeneia Mullins*



*James Murdaugh, Jr.*



*Ashlye Nance*



*Derek Neaf*



*Christina Nelon*



*Brian Nelson*



*Jason Nephew*



*Lauren Newton*



*Kendall Nicola*



*Kathleen Niple*



*Andrew Noller*



*Jenni O'Malley*



*Jennifer O'Neil*



*Rashaud Palmer*



*Kathryn Parker*



*Jessica Patchett*



*Robert Perera*



*Emily Perkins*



*Daniel Pernice*



*Todd Perry*



*Frank Pike IV*



*Sarah Potter*



*Michael Puccini*



*Angela Ragouzeos*



*Ryan Raya*



*Michelle Redmond*



*Patrick Rees*



*Grant Rembert*



*Leslie Rensi*



*Megan Reynolds*



*David Richardson, Jr.*



*Lacy Roberts*



*Julie Rohmann*





*Lauren Rooke*



*Meghan Rowan*



*Amanda Royce-Tolland*



*Elliot Rushing*



*Lindsey Rushmore*



*Julie Salvatore*



*Natalie Sampson*



*Brian Sappey*



*Kelley Satterthwaite*



*Michael Scarborough*



*Lauren Schoonover*



*Rachel Schreiber*



*Eric Schumann*



*Barbara Schutz*



*Melissa Schwandt*



*Carla Seay*



*Shannon Shaffer*



*Kelli Sharpe*



*Erin Shelton*



*Kristen Shirley*



*Sara Shortt*



*Jonathan Shutt*



*Brandi Simmons*



*Moniquo Simpson*



*Jamahal Singh*



*Danielle Smith*



*Jessica Smith*



*Matthew Smith*



*John Sneed*



*Amanda Snow*



*Matthew Spano*



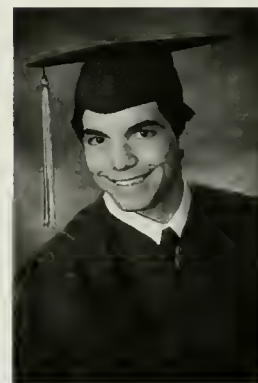
*Mary Spear*



*Steven Sposato*



*Amanda Stokes*



*Steven Storch*



*Lora Strum*



*Margaret Sullivan*



*Calvin Sutton*

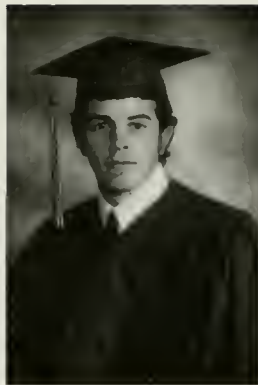


*Matthew Swane*



*Kristen Swayze*





*Jessica Swearengin Laura Thiedemann Kenneth Thoman Lauren Thomas Bret Tice*



*Rachel Tippet Amanda Todd Ryan Tressler Jordan Tupper Anthony Turowski*



*Bradley Utz Tara Vickers Steve Wagner Matthew Walgren*



*Katherine Walker Mefissa Walker Amy Wall*



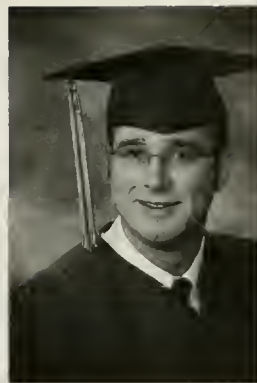
*Sarah Wardenfelt*



*Michael Weaver*



*Eric Welfford*



*William White*



*Ellen Whiteman*



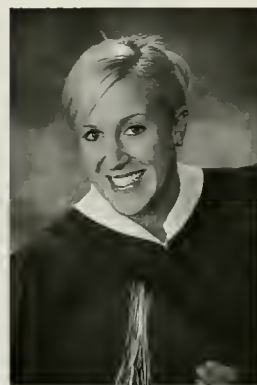
*Brett Willi*



*Aubria Williams*



*Kelly Williams*



*Cory Winn*



*Laura Wollaston*



*Marlo Wooden*



*Amanda Workman*



*Christopher Wrights*



*Kara Zagol*

# *Congratulations!*



# Julia

Our hearts are filled with pride as we watch you lead a Christ-centered life. We have enjoyed being a part of the "Elon Experience" with you. You are a joy and we can't wait to see what's coming next. May all your dreams come true.

Love,

Mom and Dad



Julia Smith



Now it's time to "dive" into the real world.

We love you!

Dad, Mom, Kim, Eric and Rachel

Kevin C. Norden



Valentina  
&  
Victoria

Congratulations! The best is yet to come.

Much Love, Mom and Dad

Valentina & Victoria DeMatteo



Congratulations

Leigh Ann



We are very proud of you.  
Continue to keep God first.

Love,  
Mom, Dad and Doug

Leigh Ann Halverson



*From a happy little girl to the lovely young woman are,  
you've always made us proud. With graduation comes new  
challenges and opportunities. Whatever life may bring,  
above all be happy.*

*Love, Mom, Dad, Clint, & Danielle*



*To Briana*

Briana Yoho

## CONGRATULATIONS BIRD!!!!



*Love, Dad & Michelle*

Christine Allen

## *To Our Dearest Daughter Nadine*

*We are proud of the compassionate,  
caring woman you have become and  
know that the very special qualities  
you possess, will influence the lives of  
everyone that crosses your path.*



*Ons liefde vir jou is sonder grense en ons  
wens jou baie geluk en voorspoed vir die  
toekoms!*

*Met al ons liefde.*

*Pappa, Mamma, Chane', Delwin & Lorine*

XXXXX

Nadine Jacobs



# Melissa Gail Walker

Your ability to find goodness in everyone and everything endears you to all whose lives you touch. Your beautiful smile will capture the hearts of your students and the classroom will be your haven. We respect your intelligence and your drive to excel, but most of all, we admire your sensitivity. You are truly a gift to your family and the world around you.



THANK YOU FOR MAKING US  
PROUD!

DAD, MOM, MICHAEL, LISA &  
JOHN

*"YOU'VE COME A LONG  
WAY, BABY!"*



Melissa Walker

**Kristen,**

**You have always strived for excellence, surveyed and chosen the road surpassing all expectations. We are so very proud of the wonderful adult you have matured into. Follow your dreams and your life will continue to be enriched! We will always be here for you, no matter where your journey takes you!**

*"Don't aim for success if you want it; just do what you love and believe in, and it will come naturally."*

David Frost

**Love you forever,  
Mom and Dad**



Kristen Shirley

## Congratulations Kendall

You reached.

You believed.

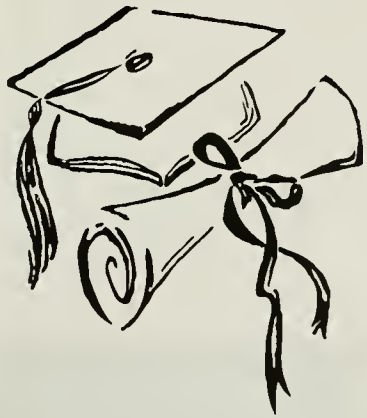
You succeeded.

Now listen to your  
heart and follow  
your dreams.

We are proud of you!  
Love ya,  
Mom & Dad



Kendall Nicole



Dear Chrissy,  
Congratulations!! We are so  
proud of you. Use your college  
education and your degree as a  
spring board to your dreams.

We love you,  
Mom and Dad



Chrissy Sacco



## JEFFREY MICHAEL HOUSTON



Jeff, we celebrate You...  
A Joyful, Passionate, Loving Spirit  
Who Blesses and Inspires us all!!!  
*Eternal Love,*  
Mom & Dad

Jeffrey Houston

Dear Brett:

May your life be filled with special people.

We are very proud of  
you!

Love,

Mom, Dad and Ryan



Brett Wil

Dear Kara,

You made it!!! A college graduate and  
maybe the best GK that Elon  
ever had. You always give  
everything you have in  
everything you do. You make  
us very proud. Keep reaching  
for the stars. Live. Laugh.  
Dream. Love. Be the Bear.

We love you,  
Mom & Dad



Kara Zagol

## Good Luck Jocelyn!

We hope you succeed in  
everything you reach for.  
Thanks for all your hard  
work and keep taking  
pictures!

Love always,  
Phi Psi Cli Yearbook Staff



Jocelyn Maning

*Phi Psi Cli Yearbook  
Congratulates the  
Class of 2005!*

# “Dream Big”

If there were ever a time to dare,

To make a difference

To embark on something worth doing

It is now.

Not for any grand cause, necessarily –

But for something that tugs at your ear

Something that is worth your aspiration

Something that is your dream.

You owe it to yourself

To make your days count.

Have fun. Dig deep. Stretch.

**Dream big.**

Know, though,

That things worth doing

Seldom come easy,

There will be times when you want to

Turn around

Pack it up and call it quits

Those times tell you

That you are pushing yourself

And that you are not afraid to learn by  
trying.

**Persist.**

Because with an idea,

Determination and the right tools,

You can do great things.

Let your instincts, your intellect

And let your heart guide you.

**Trust.**

Believe in the incredible power

Of the human mind

Of doing something that makes a difference

Of working hard

Of laughing and hoping

Of lasting friends

Of all the things that will cross your path

Next year

The start of something new

Brings the hope of something great.

Anything is possible

There is only one you

And you will pass this way but once.

**Do it right.**

-- Author Unknown







Classes, activities and relationships made a mark on each student's college experience.

Throughout the academic year, students grew as individuals mentally and spiritually and learned valuable life lessons to be taken with them beyond the classroom.

Organizations, athletic events and campus programs allowed students to break away from their studies and find a common thread with one another. Students thrived in developing their character and talents through these outlets.

Students also found the importance of creating memorable relationships during their experiences. Each individual within the community became another's family away from home.

In the future, each individual will be able to look back on their college experience and remember their place in The Elon Bubble.

by Jennifer Heilman



# Colophon

Volume 90 of *Phi Psi Cli*, created by the staff of *Phi Psi Cli*, includes events that happened from August, 2004 to May, 2005 at Elon University in Elon, North Carolina. 1000 copies of the 192 page 2005 *Phi Psi Cli* was printed by Herff Jones, Inc. of Charlotte, North Carolina.

The cover was designed by the *Phi Psi Cli* staff with assistance from the Herff Jones art department. It is a four color lithography cover with gloss lamination applied on a 160 point binders board. The photographs on the front cover were taken and merged together in Adobe Photoshop CS by Ms. Jocelyn Maningo. The endsheets are printed in black ink on 70 pound white colortext paper.

An 80 pound Bordeaux paper stock with a gloss finish was used for 192 pages. Body and caption copy was set in Arial type style and decorative fonts were used for headline treatments. Section editors designed the pages using Adobe InDesign version 2.0 in conjunction with the Herff Jones' yearbook templates.

Lifetouch Studios of Burlington, North Carolina photographed all underclass and senior portraits. Photos were taken by the *Phi Psi Cli* staff unless otherwise submitted as a courtesy by an individual or group.

The staff wishes to thank the *Phi Psi Cli* Adviser, Mrs. Felicia Massey, and Herff Jones representative, Kaye Miller, Herff Jones Customer Service representative, Mark Plyler and all others who helped make this publication possible. The *Phi Psi Cli* staff would also like to thank Mr. Rex Waters, the Media Board, faculty and staff, and student organizations, especially *The Pendulum*, S.G.A., S.U.B. and R.S.A. for providing information, contacts and photographs for this publication. A special thanks to all the parents of seniors for their sponsorship support.

## 2004-2005 Phi Psi Cli Editorial Staff

**Editor-in-Chief:** Jennifer Heilman

**Copy Editor:** Lisa Parker

**Photography Editor:** Jocelyn Maningo

Student Life: Jennifer Heilman

Arts & Academics: Rikki Jackson

Organizations: Mary Cunningham

People: Laura Eastes

Sports: Meredith Taylor

Sponsorship: Jennifer Heilman

Adviser: Felicia Massey

Staff: Lisa Dawn Akers, Alex Corey, Joelle Dent, Allee Lichtenstein, Katie Nicholson, Danica Sands, Brittanie Schroyer, Jessica Waugh and Nancy Whitman.











